

# WEATHER FORECAST

Victoria and vicinity—Fresh to strong westerly winds; partly cloudy with occasional rain.  
Vancouver and vicinity—Fresh to strong westerly winds on the Gulf; unsettled with rain or sleet.

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## Much Argument At A. E. Smith Trial In Toronto To-day

Tim Buck, Brought From Kingston Penitentiary, Testifies and Then Counsel at Seditious Utterance Hearing Match Efforts on What Must Be Proved

Smith, Testifying, Denies the Charge

Canadian Press  
Toronto, March 6.—After declaring on the witness stand to-day that on October 30, 1932, he was shot at during the riots in the Kingston penitentiary, Tim Buck, once the leader of the Communist party of Canada, now a convict, had his testimony at the trial of A. E. Smith interrupted by the arguments of counsel and was subsequently marched from the courtroom.

Buck was the first witness called by the defence in the trial of Smith, general secretary of the Canadian Labor Defence League and a former church minister, who is alleged to have accused Prime Minister Bennett and the Minister of Justice with having ordered the shooting of the Communist lead in his cell.

He took the stand as court opened for the second day of the trial, Prosecution Counsel Peter White, K.C., having put several witnesses on the stand yesterday to prove the statements were made at the meeting.

TESTIMONY BRIEFLY  
Tim Buck's testimony was brief. Having been brought from Kingston late last week to give evidence at the trial, he entered the courtroom looking weak and pale after his sojourn in the penitentiary and stood nervously while the oath was being administered.

"Where are you residing now?" defence Counsel E. J. McMurray, K.C., of Winnipeg, asked the witness, who gazed about the courtroom, smiling at Smith and at friends.

"Range 2, block H, Kingston Penitentiary," came the reply.

"Do you remember October 20, 1932?"

"Very well."

"Did anything happen that day?" Mr. McMurray asked.

"Yes, I was shot at."

Here Peter White, K.C., objected on the ground the object of the defence was trying to prove the truth of Smith's statements, while the issue before the court was seditious utterances. It was not a question of the truth of the statements, but of the statements being seditious utterances.

Tim Buck waited calmly.

Quoting from a previous trial, Mr. White indicated a precedent in which his argument had allegedly been recognized by the court.

Some discussion followed and Buck was allowed to leave the box and sit down.

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## British Planning To Build Four Cruisers

Naval Estimates Made Public To-day Call For Construction of Aircraft Carrier, Eight Destroyers and Leader, Three Submarines and Other Craft

By George Hambleton, Canadian Press Staff Writer

London, March 6.—The British cruiser replacement programme is kept in line with the London Naval Treaty by the naval estimates announced to-day, providing for construction of four new cruisers. Three are to be of the new 9,000-ton Minotaur class and the other of the 5,000-ton Arctura patroling class.

This brings the total of cruisers building and projected to thirteen for the British Commonwealth of nations. Under the London Naval Treaty building of these vessels, along with destroyers and submarines, is limited until the end of 1936, when the treaty will expire.

Actually the naval programme of last year, including three cruisers, was the last that will affect completed naval strength by the end of the treaty owing to the length of time necessary for building. When the treaty expires Britain will have to keep a considerable number of over-age vessels in service in order to have the maximum of fifty cruisers accepted under the treaty.

The estimates total \$26,550,000, an increase of \$2,980,000. They also provide for construction of a destroyer fleet leader and eight destroyers; one aircraft carrier; three submarines; two general service sloops; two minesweepers; a net layer; two coastal sloops and a survey ship.

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## BROADCASTING BATTLE WAGES

Three Private Interests Are Seeking License For Victoria Radio Station

Three private interests in the city are now applying to the Canadian Radio Commission for licenses to operate broadcasting stations in Victoria and permission to do so is expected for one of them, Alderman J. D. Hunter told the City Council yesterday evening in a survey of the radio situation as it affected Victoria.

During discussion on the matter, Alderman R. T. Williams rose to state he favored the installation of a municipal station, saying he believed in public ownership.

His remark was answered by Alderman James Adam with the statement "We have to keep down taxes." "I believe a license is going to be granted," Alderman Hunter stated before saying he did not think the proposal of the Victoria Radio Listening Club for a joint broadcasting system with CFCY, Vancouver, was feasible.

"My only idea is to get a radio station in this city that may be called a radio station. I do not care who gets the license," Alderman Hunter stated, refuting statements he had heard outside that he was interested financially in the plan.

The federal commission, he continued, had instructed radio station inspectors to give reports on the operating efficiency of plants.

STUDIOS IN EMPRESS  
One interest seeking a license hoped to set up its studio and transmitter on the roof of the Belmont Building with studios in the Empress Hotel. Prominent C.P.R. officials had spoken in favor of having the studio in the hotel, he said.

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## DUTCH PROTEST NAZI "INVASION"

London, March 6.—A Reuter news agency dispatch from Amsterdam to-day said it was rumored the Dutch government would protest against an "invasion" by Nazi Germany.

Several hundred German Nazis invaded that frontier town last Saturday, the dispatch said, and parading, held an inspection and handed out pamphlets at a meeting of Dutch National Socialists, to which the leader of the Germans said they had come to keep order.

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## New Retail Plan Urged in Alberta

Calgary, March 6.—Licensing of all retail establishments in Alberta and the establishment of a minimum weekly wage of \$15 for all male employees will be suggested to Premier J. E. Brownlee by the organized retailers of the province, it has been learned here.

U.S. DOLLAR IN LONDON  
The United States dollar gained 3/4 cent to the pound sterling and closed here to-day at \$5.06 1/4. Trading continued quiet. The French franc closed at 77.06 to the pound, as compared with 76.97 Monday.

Business Gains Seen To Be Accelerating

Canadian Press  
Montreal, March 6.—"Canadian business activity started on the up-grade exactly a year ago, and during the next twelve months the rate of progress should be accelerated," says Canadian Business, the magazine of the Canadian Chamber of Commerce, in a survey of business conditions.

The survey says this observation is based on "authentic reviews of the present situation, backed by precedents and confirmed by the security markets."

DOLLAR GAINS ON EXCHANGE  
New York, March 6.—Leading currencies moved within a narrow range on the foreign exchange market here to-day. The Canadian dollar closed 1-16 of a cent higher at 99 1/2 cents. The pound sterling improved 3/4 of a cent to \$5.07 1/4. The French franc eased 1/2 point to 6.57 1/2 cents in quiet trading.

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## GIVES UP POST OF AMBASSADOR

SOUTHERN ALBERTA HAS SNOW DRIFTS



Baron Tyrrell, veteran British statesman, who has been Ambassador to France since 1928, has resigned that important post. Before going to France, Lord Tyrrell was Britain's permanent Undersecretary of State for Foreign Affairs.

U.S. NAVY BILL VOTED BY SENATE

Associated Press  
Washington, March 6.—The United States Senate to-day passed the great naval construction bill and returned it to the House of Representatives for action on Senate changes, including limitations of private contract profits and a requirement that the government itself build one-fourth of the more than 1,000 airplanes provided for.

Change Sought In Game Rules

Farmers Ask Sweeping Revision of Regulations; Autonomy on Own Land

Complete revision of British Columbia's entire system of game regulation, coupled with a reduction in the cost of administration of the B.C. Game Board, was advocated by representatives of farmers' institutes to the agricultural committee of the Legislature this morning.

In this connection the farmers demanded protection for their own property from depredations of game animals.

"Ninety-four per cent of British Columbia is wild land. What we want is authority to outlaw anything that comes on the other six per cent which makes up farms," said C. E. Whitney-Griffiths in supporting the claim.

Through the B.C. Sheep Breeders' Association, the shepherds' trouble with dogs was outlined to the committee.

They asked authority to shoot on sight dogs which had killed sheep, to compel the wearing of tags by licensed dogs and to allow for payment of prosecuting lawyers in cases involving sheep killing out of the sheep fold.

Female dogs caused most of the trouble, it was stated, when they were in season. It was proposed to throw through the dog on sight when on foreign property in season and that the license for females be raised to \$5.

Other matters urged by the farmers being placed before the committee are a reduction of motor license fees to a flat rate and establishment of a utility commission.

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## RELIEF CAMP RULINGS SOON

Canadian Press  
Nelson, B.C., March 6.—Decision had been reserved to-day in the trials of six men reported to have participated in relief camp strikes in this district on charges of stealing government property. Magistrate John Cartmel heard the last of the six cases to-day and withheld his decision, with the other five, until Saturday.

William Jackson, last to appear, refused to take the witness stand, but, in a statement, claimed he had left at Long Beach Camp the Mackinaw coat issued to him and that the coat he sold in Nelson the day of the demonstration dispersed by police, was one he had bought in Vancouver.

Charles Rafferty, William Summerfield, Fred Cook, Andrew Watson and Alfred Leeger had previously appeared in court, with decision reserved by the magistrate.

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Starting yesterday evening, the storm continued to-day, swept on by a stiff wind which piled the snow into heavy drifts in some areas.

The additional moisture is greatly welcomed in the southern grain belt.

HAS NEW SCHEMES FOR THE PACIFIC

A division of the Pacific Ocean into two spheres, one of which would be dominated by Japan, the other by the United States; or the creation of a neutral zone in the Pacific, is a suggestion just put forward by Koki Hirota, above, Japanese Foreign Minister, to insure lasting peace between the two nations.

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## Court of Appeal Rules A. H. Evans Must Serve Sentence Given at Vernon

## COUNCIL ASKS WIDER POWER

Victoria Wants More Representation on Library Board; Tag Day Control

Amendments to municipal powers advocated by the Victoria City Council were placed before the municipal committee of the Legislature this morning by Mayor Leeming, acting with the executive of the Union of B.C. Municipalities.

One which provoked considerable discussion was a proposal that a larger representation of aldermen be allowed on the Library Board in order to give the council fuller control over expenditure.

It was intimated that in a new Library Act to be brought down next session the council would be given power to appeal against the library budget if necessary.

TO ABOLISH BOARDS  
"What we are really driving at is to abolish all these separate boards controlling expenditure," said Reeve R. C. Macdonald of Coquitlam. "Our ability to afford all these different services—desirable as they may be—is being limited and it is eroding the hand. Central control is essential."

Authority to control and prohibit tag days and street collections was urged by Mayor Leeming, who mentioned how in Victoria collections had been taken for defence of men charged under the Criminal Code in the east, and the desire was the council should have power to regulate these.

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## QUESTION ABOUT STAVISKY AFFAIRS

Suspected also as a Hitler agent, Marlene Kupfer, Hungarian opera singer, above, has come into the inquiry into the weird mystery of the Stavisky pawnshop scandal in France. Police are investigating Mike Kupfer's dealings with the late Serge Stavisky.



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Judges Uphold Decision of Mr. Justice W. A. Macdonald on Speeches Made During Princeton Coal Strike, Though Defendant Denies He Advocated Use of Force Against Government

Canadian Press  
Vancouver, March 6.—The appeal of Arthur H. Evans, district organizer of the Workers' Unity League, from a conviction at the Vernon fall assizes for contravening Section 98 of the Criminal Code by advocating use of force to bring about governmental and economic changes in Canada, was dismissed to-day by the B.C. Court of Appeal.

The court opened its March sittings in Vancouver to-day.

Evans had been sentenced to one year's imprisonment by Mr. Justice W. A. Macdonald, who presided over the assizes and has since retired from the bench.

The prosecution alleged Evans made inflammatory speeches during a strike of Princeton coal miners in November and December, 1932. The accused denied he had advocated use of force.

TEACHING OF COMMUNISM  
His counsel attacked before the Court of Appeal the trial judge's opinion of Section 98, that it was enacted to stop the teaching of Communism in Canada.

Evans' lawyer stated Evans was not associated with the Communist Party of Canada. He thought the trial judge's reference to Communism had led to a miscarriage of justice.

Since the conviction Evans has been held in custody. An application to Chief Justice J. A. Macdonald of the Court of Appeal for bail was refused.

TO LOWER IMPORT LICENSE

Associated Press  
Paris, March 6.—A bill empowering the government to lower the import license tax on semi-finished and finished products from 4 and 6 per cent to 2 per cent was approved to-day by the Chamber of Deputies.

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### TO CURB POLICE DOGS

Special licensing powers on dogs to curb the alleged menace of so-called police dogs was also sought.

The recommendation arose out of a case in which a dog of both dogs and persons being attacked by this species.

## HODGSON WINS IN TAYLOR CASE

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### William Boulton and the Oaklawn Investment Company Limited.

Claim was made by Mr. Hodgson that the company had been defrauded of \$100,000. The company had been defrauded of \$100,000. The company had been defrauded of \$100,000.

Mr. Justice Murphy of the Supreme Court of British Columbia found in favor of Hodgson, and ordered the setting aside of the deed.

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### WILL ADD MEN

Increase of naval personnel from 91,165 to 93,222, including marines, is provided for; work on the Singapore naval base, proceeding satisfactorily will be continued; and in accordance with the recent air estimates the fleet air arm will be increased by two squadrons.

In regard to co-operation with the Dominions, an accompanying memorandum states a scheme of training is now under consideration which will maintain the efficiency of the South African naval volunteer reserve, after increased opportunities for co-operation with British ships on the Africa station.

Development and fitting of catapults for launching aircraft from naval vessels is proceeding steadily and new ships being fitted as they are completed for service.

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## BANKING INQUIRY INTO MUCH ARGUMENT AT A. E. SMITH TRIAL IN TORONTO

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### As Commons Committee Starts Work on New Bill in Ottawa, C. G. Power, Quebec Liberal, Says Numerous Activities Need Attention

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### QUOTES CASES

Mr. White contended a man might make a seditious statement which would be true, but if the statement was made in an unlawful way its truthfulness could not be demonstrated in defence of the man who made it.

He referred Chief Justice Duff to a number of cases in which the point had been upheld by the court. They involved attacks on the government and it had been ruled the truth of the statements was irrelevant.

Defence Counsel McMurray asked what the intention of the man who made the statement was. Truth was not an offence, he declared.

He recalled the prosecution counsel had been told of two or three witnesses called to show what Smith's "intent" had been, adding, "but he very graciously refused to allow me to ask them."

Mr. McMurray admitted there was a difference between ordinary trials and seditious trials, inasmuch as truth was not an offence in the former, but in this case the seditious intent "was only inferred by the crown."

### QUESTION OF INTENT

The Criminal Code showed, he said, that a man could not be guilty of seditious utterances, unless it was shown he had seditious intent.

Mr. McMurray wished to show, he said, that the truth of the statement was not the object of the offence, but the seditious intent.

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## As Commons Committee Starts Work on New Bill in Ottawa, C. G. Power, Quebec Liberal, Says Numerous Activities Need Attention

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### QUOTES CASES

Mr. White contended a man might make a seditious statement which would be true, but if the statement was made in an unlawful way its truthfulness could not be demonstrated in defence of the man who made it.

He referred Chief Justice Duff to a number of cases in which the point had been upheld by the court. They involved attacks on the government and it had been ruled the truth of the statements was irrelevant.

Defence Counsel McMurray asked what the intention of the man who made the statement was. Truth was not an offence, he declared.

He recalled the prosecution counsel had been told of two or three witnesses called to show what Smith's "intent" had been, adding, "but he very graciously refused to allow me to ask them."

Mr. McMurray admitted there was a difference between ordinary trials and seditious trials, inasmuch as truth was not an offence in the former, but in this case the seditious intent "was only inferred by the crown."

### QUESTION OF INTENT

The Criminal Code showed, he said, that a man could not be guilty of seditious utterances, unless it was shown he had seditious intent.

Mr. McMurray wished to show, he said, that the truth of the statement was not the object of the offence, but the seditious intent.

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## SUGAR OUTPUT LIMITS SOUGHT

London, March 6.—A proposal to conduct a world conference empowered to reach an agreement restricting the production and marketing of sugar was discussed at a meeting of delegates of ten nations here to-day.

## C.P.R. APPEAL IS ALLOWED

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### Court Rules Against C.N.R. on Prairie-B.C. Coast Freight Division

Ottawa, March 6.—A sweeping investigation of Canadian banks and bankers by the Commons committee reviewing the Bank Act, was proposed to-day by Major C. G. Power, Liberal member for Quebec South. His motion will be discussed at the next meeting of the committee.

The Quebec member would inquire into interlocking directorates, the relation of the banks to the prairie wheat pools, the Canadian Pacific Railway and the pulp and paper industry. In an effort to determine facts on these questions, Mr. Power said, he would call on the heads of the Canadian banks and the heads of the railway companies.

The question before the court was: "Whether upon the agreement made between the Canadian National Railway Company and the Canadian Pacific Railway Company on January 20, 1929, and the facts and circumstances surrounding the same, the Canadian National Railway Company is entitled to a division of the freight traffic on the North-Western Alberta Railway to Prince Rupert, or to Victoria for export, and to the Crown Point, British Columbia, and the United Kingdom, is to be excluded from the comparison of the two systems on the basis of equality of freight traffic for the purpose of the equal division to be made under Article 7 of the agreement as not being outboard freight traffic destined to competitive points on or beyond the lines of the parties as expressed in said article."

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## GUARDS OF JAIL ARE ARRESTED

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## A REALLY PRESSING PROBLEM

"Tuberculosis is Vancouver's and British Columbia's greatest community health problem. It is a problem of many ramifications, for we are dealing with an infectious and therefore preventable disease—a condition which demands not only treatment and isolation of the affected individual, but also the treatment of the many social problems which of consequence arise."—Dr. W. H. Hatfield, speaking to civic officials, health authorities and private citizens in the board room of The Vancouver Daily Province recently.

**THE NORMALLY HEALTHY PERSON** is naturally not especially interested in a disease with which he or she has not been afflicted. At last, however, it is being realized that tuberculosis again has become a very serious threat to the health of this province and of the whole Dominion.

Three or four years ago, after a period of what euphemistically has been called "good times," the number of sufferers from the disease gradually declined and the death toll decreased proportionately. But since the bottom fell out of the business world in the fall of 1929 there has been a marked increase in Canada, at any rate, of cases of tuberculosis.

The reason for this is easily explained. An idle army of approximately 150,000 in 1930 has grown to nearly 700,000, and it will be understood that many families which have had to depend wholly for their subsistence upon the meagre rations of relief organizations have not had that nourishment which is so essential for the maintenance of bodily health.

It is no longer a medical secret that the sufferer from tuberculosis in its incipient and more serious stages must have the best of food and be relieved of every form of worry. What is the man with a family, earning in the ordinary way sufficient to get along, to do when he is told by his medical adviser that he must make arrangements to leave his job, take things easily, have all the necessary nourishment for which a successful battle against the disease demands? In ninety-nine cases out of a hundred he has to confess that he must carry on with his work because he needs his weekly pay cheque. All of which means that he gets worse, probably passes the disease on to the members of his family, and then—the inevitable. And since he had no alternative he unwittingly bequeathed an additional health problem to his own household and, indirectly, to the community in which he had lived.

In British Columbia, at Tranquille, there is an institution with accommodation for less than 400 patients. It was established originally to treat sufferers from the disease in its incipient form—which means sufferers who had every chance to get well and remain well as long as they obeyed instructions. But there are at the present time in this province between 5,000 and 6,000 reported cases of tuberculosis; and the latest estimate of the annual death rate was a little more than 500.

This is a problem which demands provincial and national attention. To-morrow at Ottawa there is to be a discussion on the subject of titles for Canadians. As we observed in these columns yesterday, the resolution to reaffirm the decision of the Parliament of 1919 should be put and passed without delay, and then the House might well give an hour to the discussion of the health of the people of this country. Our own Legislature would do well to give an afternoon over to a similar discussion.

Five hundred deaths every year from tuberculosis in British Columbia surely is a pressing enough problem to demand the very earnest consideration of the members of the provincial Parliament. The human asset, the most valuable asset of the state, is involved.

## THOSE AIR MAIL CONTRACTS

**WHEN PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT** cancelled the air mail contracts of the United States, on the ground that they had been awarded under dubious circumstances, he brought a "good deal of criticism about his own head. But he obviously had the facts in his possession and, as his fearless custom, did what he considered the right thing. His opponents seem to be trying to capitalize for political purposes the misfortune which attended the early flights of the army aerial postmen. But it is suggested by impartial commentators that they will not make very much party capital out of such a campaign. And, incidentally, one well-known United States publicist tells a story about one of these army pilots, Lieutenant Durward O. Lowry of Ann Arbor, Michigan, which furnishes its own commentary. We quote it in part as follows:

"The story of this young officer's death is something that all Americans profitably might read. It is a tragic tale, but it has the uplifting, heartening quality that only great stories possess.

Lieut. Lowry was flying the mail from Chicago to Cleveland when he ran into a blinding snowstorm near the town of Decher, O. Lost and unable to find a landing place, he crashed and was killed. But read what a newspaper reporter wrote about the way in which he died:

"Pilot Lowry, flying alone in the snowstorm on an unfamiliar route, knew that a crash was inevitable, according to the mute testimony of sack after sack of mail which he had tossed from the cockpit to prevent its destruction in case of fire.

"He kept at this task too long and in death had lived up to the best traditions of the airmail service, which demand that the mail be saved. The bags were found intact along the countryside."

That's all there is to it—but somehow those two paragraphs speak volumes about the kind of man that this young army aviator was.

One's imagination can fill in the picture easily enough. . . . an airplane flying through a white, swirling snowstorm, with death drawing nearer every second; a tight-lipped young man in the cockpit, resolutely putting out of his mind the thought that he could save himself, if he chose, by using those last few minutes to gain altitude and bail out, and

devoting himself instead to tossing overboard those sacks of mail which had been put in his charge.

The administration at Washington evidently is by no means oblivious to the storm of criticism that followed the cancellation order and the famous Lindbergh telegram. "It is a new experience for the President and his key-men," remarks Arthur Krock in The New York Times. "This Washington correspondent then goes on to outline 'the philosophy that animated the cancellations.' It is the Roosevelt idea that in 1932 the people voted against the theory of government toleration of insiders in such matters as air mail contracts and of granting concessions permitting beneficiaries to make large speculative profits.

The President was elected as a national protest against the practices of the party that had been in power. "Testimony about the air mail contracts division and the speculative profits made by members of the aviation industry quickly persuaded the President and his New Deal architects that here was one of the conditions against which the election protest was based. Therefore he proceeded to eliminate it quickly, desiring a house-cleaning in the aviation industry."

## MODERNISM GONE RAMPANT

**THIS MODERN WORLD SEEMS** to take a special delight in thrusting the appurtenances of modernism on the last strongholds of the distant past. The most recent step in this direction seems about to be taken in Asia, where a Chinese aviation corporation plans to install regular airplane service between Shanghai and Lhasa, the forbidden capital city of Tibet.

If there is anywhere on earth a spot which has escaped the influence of the modern world, it surely must be Lhasa. Both physically and spiritually, life there still is keyed to the notes of the Middle Ages. To go there is to step from the twentieth century into the twelfth.

And now a commercial air line is about to make Lhasa a regular port of call—an air line, incidentally, dominated by American capital.

Could there be a more striking illustration of the modern world's refusal to let its isolated backwaters go undisturbed?

## INDIA

**INDIA WILL ALWAYS BE A SUBJECT** for discussion not alone for its problems, social, economic, or political, but also for the mystery surrounding a people steeped in traditions which still influence their daily lives. Many books have been written, critical and romantic, about this country and its 350,000,000 people. But the variety show of India is best described tersely and with the emphasis of understatement in the 1931-1932 Report of the Government of India.

This annual report dismisses the colorful imagination of the novelist for the cold facts of the statistician. The courage of a postal-service in a country harassed by storms, floods and wild beasts is implied in the statement that the "percentage of safe delivery was 99.22." The gradual social transformation of the native laborer is shown in the increase of registered labor unions from twenty-nine in 1927 to 119 in 1931. The mystery of ancient India is revived in the Report's review of Sir John Marshall's excavation in the Indus Valley and his discovery that here lived the first makers of cotton textiles 3,000 years before Christ.

The importation of automobiles had fallen to 7,220 in 1931 from 12,601 the previous year. And the Moslem faithful of India have traveled to Mecca in decreasing numbers. Possibly the depression has been to blame as The Manchester Guardian suggested: "The depression has managed to creep into most of these pages—that all-pervading note of 'economy' and retrenchment familiar here as elsewhere—from the Indian government's tightening of the purse for health and education down to the miseries of the humble cultivator in his rice fields."

From time to time some "nutrition specialist" tries to tell us how to feed a family on some unbelievably small sum a week. We all mentally applaud but give up in despair when we try to put the budget into practice. Here comes such an expert, Inez M. Hobart of the University of Minnesota, who tries to show how a family of five could not only live, but actually could grow fat on five dollars a week. This is the way she would spend the money: Milk and cheese, \$1.30—or more—vegetables and fruits, \$1.20—or less—butter, lard, bacon, sugar, molasses, tea, coffee, baking powder, \$1—or less—meat, fish and eggs, fifty cents.

## WHAT OTHER PAPERS SAY

### MUNICIPALITIES IN DEFAULT

The Financial Post

Municipal defaults in Ontario had occurred in communities with a total funded debt of over \$75,000,000 at the end of 1933. The Financial Post is informed, on good authority. The total was greatly increased when large urban municipalities bordering Toronto, and the cities of Niagara Falls and Sudbury, defaulted late in the year. In western Canada municipal defaults have been widespread, but have involved large municipalities in only a few cases. True amounts involved are relatively small. In the Maritime provinces defaults number only two. Quebec's list of defaults has been growing, but not as rapidly as that of Ontario, it is understood.

### AN OLD PRACTICE

The Calgary Herald

The Ottawa Journal, in commenting on a member's complaint in Parliament that he had been misquoted in the press, makes some observations which will strike a responsive chord in journalistic circles. The practice of politicians throwing blame on reporters for their own maladroitness expressions is an old one and has not been confined to backbenchers. Men distinguished in Canadian public life have on occasions availed themselves of this obvious refuge.

Newspapers prize themselves on the accuracy of their reports and go to great pains to ensure correct reporting. It is not to their interest to tolerate inaccuracies. In ninety-nine cases out of every hundred there is never any suggestion of complaint from men who are quoted. Public men, indeed, are often protected against their own extravagance of language by capable and friendly reporters.

## A THOUGHT

One man of you shall cease a thousand; for the Lord your God, He it is that fighteth for you, as He has promised.—Joshua xxiii 10.  
In man's most dark extremity, O'er succor draws from heaven.—Scott.

## Across the Bay

Mr. Pattullo's prediction seems to get sounder as we go on—Dr. Weir treats the House to a classical oration with a few human thrills as well as Mr. Winch's rouser of his elders with the voice of our protesting youth—and the electors have a right to be proud.

By R. B. W.

## TALENTED

**WHEN PREMIER PATTULLO** said this eighteenth Legislature was the most talented in the history of British Columbia, we all thought that he was just exuding a little natural paternal pride amid the expansive festivities of the opening day. But, gradually, we are beginning to agree with him. Perhaps our early hopes may appear a little too sanguine a few years hence, but on the basis of the speeches so far, on the basis of good intentions and lofty sentiment, this House is quite unique in memory. Certainly no one remembers a debate on the Speech from the Throne which produced half as many ideas or so completely ignored the usual claptrap and personal abuse of politics.

Monday was another day on which jammed galleries could look down at their legislators with pride and respect, which are rather rare in these premises. Either this reporter is getting old and weak-minded (which is likely to happen to anyone if he stays here very long) or Dr. Weir's speech on education was the finest thing of the session heard in the House in modern times: not a half-raising political speech, mind you, for there was not a single word of politics and nothing but education in it; but a cultured, you might almost say a classical, oration on education as the great basic need of our civilization.

Dr. Weir was the first minister to enter the debate and it had been thought that the government might be putting him up to exercise his undoubted powers on Mr. McGee, who had said a lot of things regarding education. But, no, Dr. Weir had come to defend the thing closest to his heart, to fight back those who would sacrifice the education of our young to the economic follies of the aged, to prove that only through education can the future of the province be assured. He spoke with a consummation of fluency, but with a consuming inward fire which he has difficulty in repressing. You can see it in his constant movement, his restless hands, his habit of shaking up and down on his toes, of clenching his fists in his sides when he is roused. His speeches are not written out or memorized, but are contained in such a jumble of notes, written in black, red, blue, green and yellow pencil, such a hopeless mixture of letters and words, that it is difficult to decipher them. But he never hesitates, never lacks a word and occasionally coins a phrase, red hot from the furnace, which burns into the memory of the House.

## HIDDEN FIRE

**WHATEVER YOU** may say about Mr. Pattullo, he could hardly have found a better man for the Education Department, a man not only in the forefront ranks of education, but one who can sell education to the people. He speaks with a remarkable fluency, but with a consuming inward fire which he has difficulty in repressing. You can see it in his constant movement, his restless hands, his habit of shaking up and down on his toes, of clenching his fists in his sides when he is roused. His speeches are not written out or memorized, but are contained in such a jumble of notes, written in black, red, blue, green and yellow pencil, such a hopeless mixture of letters and words, that it is difficult to decipher them. But he never hesitates, never lacks a word and occasionally coins a phrase, red hot from the furnace, which burns into the memory of the House.

## GALLANT KNIGHT

**HIS PLEASANT** but biting attack on Sir Henry Dunlop's economy campaign was beautifully done, and buttressed with a formidable array of figures. He called Sir Henry a "gallant crusader" who wanted sound money and forgot the needs of sound humanity, who wanted to put down the educational heritage of the young, but not interest rates, who had rejected a failing off in the rate of the education system of the country. Sir Henry, he said, had tried, among other things, to prove that an increase in arson had followed the increased cost of education, and the House laughed as he pictured the knight trying, with equal sense, to find out whether a flood had occurred at Prince George by measuring the Fraser at Ladner with a spoon. He laughed again when he suggested that if education increased arson, a college professor like himself might properly be suspected of being a fire bug who might burn down the legislative buildings at any moment.

## GOLD CROSS

**THESE WERE** just passing jests. His serious argument was that the youth of Canada had sacrificed enough for the failure of their parents, that they would stand no more reduction in their opportunities and that to cut down their schooling would breed revolutionists among them. As for him, he cried with feeling, he would be no party to crucifying youth on a cross of gold. His defence of the university was rather inspiring, also, and the House was evidently impressed with his description of university students working their way through their courses, many living on two meals a day in order to get an education.

## YOUTH

**CURIOUSLY ENOUGH**, one of the brilliant youths whom Dr. Weir defends came immediately after him—twenty-six-year-old Harold Winch, the boy of the House. He exemplified perfectly, as if he had been supplied on order, the very tendencies which Dr. Weir had described—the revolt of youth against our whole system. Mr. Winch is without question the outstanding personality of the little group of seven in the C.C.F. opposition—a mere boy in years but pretty old and a little bitter in his experience of the world; a tall, dark, handsome boy with a ready tongue, an old wit and the burning fire of a new doctrine and a new idea in him. Older men may compromise and hesitate, having seen more reforms fail and most solutions dissolve. Mr. Winch, with all the reality and inspiring enthusiasm of youth, has

no doubts and no qualms—only Socialism can save our civilization and nothing less will do.

One suspects that Mr. Winch, with the other C.C.F. men, has learned a lot already, has been surprised to find that everybody doesn't wear horns and cloven hoofs in the Legislature, that the minions of a ruthless capitalism are, personally, pretty good fellows, that Mr. Speaker Perry (himself one of the ablest left-wing Liberals in provincial politics) bends backwards to give the opposition a fair break. Incidentally, Mr. Speaker and Mr. Hart arranged to suspend the rules in order that Mr. Winch might speak at all, as he had really eliminated himself by seconding his leader's original motion to end the debate.

## BABY

**MR. WINCH** admitted at the start that he liked everybody personally. He admitted that he was young, only a baby, and in proof of it he held up a baby's comforter, on a pink ribbon, which some admirer had sent him as a souvenir of his maiden speech. But when babies howled they usually had a good reason, he said, and his complaints were numerous. Friendship was all right and the boys opposite might be good fellows, but in the House Mr. Winch saw only the representatives of two systems—of Socialism and of Capitalism, and so far as he was concerned, there would be no quarter asked or given for a moment.

That clear, he launched into a speech which would have done credit to a seasoned opposition leader. He pinned the government down in detail to its pre-election promises and said none of them had been implemented, for the simple reason that they couldn't be implemented under Capitalism. He pictured the House opening with all the glitter and pomp of a social system maintained by force, while the people of British Columbia were only interested in the primitive human question—"Which do we eat, and how much and where do we get it?"

## DOLE TEST

**THIS WAS** no mere oratorical flourish, for young Mr. Winch knows what it is to be hungry. He told the House he had been out of work three years and on relief nineteen months with his wife and children; and when he added gently that there should be a law preventing any man from being elected to the House until he had lived on the dole for a while, wild unparliamentary applause broke out among his many friends in the public galleries.

He had more than vague protests, however. He had figures to prove that the relief dole here is just a third of the amount which the federal government, in its labor reports, says is a minimum necessary to keep a family decently. Life on the dole, said Mr. Winch, with a bitterness born of actual experience, was just slow starvation.

After a detailed recital of the government's election pledges and its failure of fulfilment, and a very cautious reference to Mr. McGee's banking theories as inadequate, Mr. Winch gave the House a round Socialist talk, admitted that there must be a transition period, proposed a number of reforms for this period, but insisted that the C.C.F. would never stop short of its final goal—a fully socialized state instead of the New Deal, which had turned out to be just another Raw Deal.

Mr. Winch should go far in this business. He has little to learn about public speaking, but he will learn a lot about men and the painfully slow march of reform.

## Twenty-five Years Ago To-day

THE VICTORIA DAILY TIMES

MARCH 6, 1909

(From The Times Files)

There can be no doubt of the healthiness of Victoria. The registrar-general's statistics for that year prove it, showing a falling off in the deaths registered in the city in 1908.

There will be two walking clubs out to-morrow. The Victoria Athletic Club will leave the Broad Street rooms at 10 o'clock in the morning and go in

the direction of Mount Tolmie, and then across the Saanich Peninsula. The J.B.A.A. men will start about mid-day for Goldstream, but will return by the train in the evening.

The planking has all been removed from the Fruiting dredge, which is tied up at the Hudson's Bay wharf, and now she looks more like a dredge than when she arrived in port a few days ago.

A direct steamer service is to be established by the C.P.R. between Ladysmith and Vancouver. A delegation of Ladysmith business men waited upon R. Marpole and F. W. Peters a few days ago in Vancouver, and the former promised that as soon as a suitable boat could be secured the company would place it on that run.

By the courtesy of Mrs. Dunsmuir, a meeting was held at Government House yesterday afternoon for the purpose of organizing a mother's union in Victoria.

## THE RHYMING OPTIMIST

By ALINE MICHAELS

LIVE, LITTLE TREE!

O little tree, send brave roots down

Into the earth, so cold and brown;

Be bold, be brave,

Be patient long

And you will wear a leafy crown!

O little tree, it has been so

Since primal forests yearned to grow,

When slim twigs thrust

Through dim, through dust

First let the glad sap upward flow.

O little tree, how staunchly cling

To life, that you may welcome spring,

The birds, the thrush,

The joyous hum

Of earliest robins' shining wings!

Live, little tree, that you may drain

The sweetness of midsummer rain,

That you may know

The autumn's glow

And sleep to winter's hushed refrain.

## Other People's Views

### "SEEKING IDENTITY OF BONE RELIC"

To the Editor:—Having been in my youth an assistant to the eminent naturalist, Professor R. B. Bates, of Basel, I was greatly interested in the photograph of a multi-toothed jawbone in The Daily Colonist of March 4, and in the article therein. The suggestion was advanced that it might be the lower jaw of some sea monster, or of a wolf fish, and another opinion was that perhaps it was the lower jaw of a pre-historic lizard.

May I remind the reader that it is not belonging to the reptiles, have only one and seldom two rows of teeth.

In my opinion, it can only be a jawbone that belongs to an animal of the genus *Elasmobranchius*, or *selachii*, that means sharks; especially so because the teeth are not set in ossified alveoli, but on cartilage. The sharks, pre-historic or living, have always several rows of teeth, from six to ten deep, and when the outer teeth are worn they drop out and are replaced by the inner row. This process continues during their entire lifetime.

As your naturalists have never seen this species in British Columbia's rare fish, may it not belong to the rare genus of the myliobatids, which are known to have rows of teeth like miniature paving stones?

GUSTAV FRIEDBERG, P.D. M.D., 214 Government Street, Victoria, B.C.

### LOGGING AND WASTE

To the Editor:—Through the press notice has been directed to several of the speeches of C.C.F. members in the House, particularly with reference to the lumber industry, even columnists in Victoria and Vancouver papers applauding remarks of two of the members on the subject. Their theories make nice reading, but hard facts are what count in lumbering, and political theories do not count for much.

Selective logging, particularly in the coast district of B.C., is economically impracticable excepting in rare situations, where favorable conditions exist. It would take too much space to explain fully the reasons for this difficulty, but state briefly they are: The topography of the timber land, the size of timber and degree of accessibility, the extra fire hazard created and increased costs of production.

I am referring chiefly to saw timber, not pulpwood, which is in a different category. Waste of course there is more or less waste, varying according to the class of timber being cut and ground conditions, just as there is much waste in threshing wheat on

## SIDE GLANCES

By George Clark



"The trouble is your mother, ma'am. She's always out here in our way."

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the prairie, where most of the straw and chaff is burned; but loggers take out everything they can dispose of to the mills, and no-doubt would be willing to permit anyone to take what is left in the woods free of charge.

The "waste" bogey has been talked about for years, but no one appears to have discovered a remedy. Perhaps

Dr. Harris will find one. There is no sense in comparing logging here with operations in European countries or eastern Canada, as conditions are altogether different. If Mr. Bateswell or Mr. Price has ever conducted a large logging or lumbering operation, he may be in a position to speak au-

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## Meats--Provisions--Delicatessen

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Blade Roasts, lb. 8c	Cross-rib Roasts, lb. 10c
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### THE MEISTERSINGERS WHO APPEAR AT THE CAPITOL THEATRE



This new group of singers under the baton of Frederic King has given several concerts in the city and neighborhood towns and their programmes met with such instantaneous success that Ivan Ackery, manager of the Capitol Theatre, decided to present them on the stage for three nights this week. They will appear at 8.30 o'clock on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday nights, presenting excerpts from "Il Trovatore" and "Robin Hood."

### TO INVESTIGATE COAL PURCHASES

The City Council yesterday evening referred to a committee composed of Alderman Adam, Alderman W. C. Hawkins, Mayor Leeming and the purchasing agent tenders for supplying coal to the city buildings. With the exception of that item, the council passed the sending submitted to it yesterday evening, approving purchase of cement from Evans, Coleman and Johnson at \$2.35 a barrel and sand and gravel from the Pioneer Sand and Gravel Company and the Producers' Sand and Gravel Company at \$1.50 a cubic yard.

Proposed economies in the repair of the buildings at the Widows' Exhibition Grounds, suggested by a committee headed by Alderman McGavin which surveyed the structures, were referred to the estimates committee at the City Council meeting yesterday evening.

### CANNOT AVOID RELIEF CAMPS

Permanent Institutions Under Present System, Says Burnaby Member

Relief camps should be built of concrete, because, under capitalism, they are permanent institutions, declared E. E. Winch, C.C.F. member, speaking at the weekly C.C.F. meeting in the Chamber of Commerce yesterday evening on "The Value of Social Legislation to the Working Class."

"Industry does not want the youth of today," he said, "what use is it to send young men to training schools when there is nothing for them to do when they have completed their studies?"

Mr. Winch dealt at length with the new Minimum Wage Act, now before the Legislature, on which he has filed amendments. He stressed the need for a strong personnel for the board, empowered to carry out the regulations.

The speaker also mentioned the attitude of the C.C.F. members in the House, stating they had been expected to "raise Cain," but had not done so because this would have played into the hands of those who wished it done. He said he liked the work of a member of the House.

T. Guy Sheppard was chairman of the meeting and Miss A. Roseman, who represented the Children's Welfare League of Vancouver on the delegation which met the government yesterday, spoke briefly.

**KAPOOR ROAD TO UNDERGO SURVEY**

Requests of the City Council, supported by the Victoria Chamber of Commerce, for the repair of the Kapoor Goldstream Road to furnish a means of approaching the city for loggers at the Kapoor Mills, have resulted in a survey of the ground, the council was informed yesterday evening.

Acting City Engineer Irwin, together with a government official, went over the road last week, and the provincial official will make a report on the advisability of putting it into shape, the council was informed.

John Davis of Great Britain led the first Polar expedition in 1887.

## Winch Places C.C.F. Ideas Before House

Pensions at Sixty and Useful Development Work For Young Men Now Unemployed Advocated By Young Vancouver East Member

"No C.C.F. government, no C.C.F. opposition will rest content until it has eradicated capitalism and brought into operation the full programme of socialized planning such as will lead to the establishment in Canada of a co-operative commonwealth that is the socialized state."

This was the keynote of the address given in the House yesterday by Harold E. Winch, C.C.F. Vancouver East, who outlined for the first time in the Legislature what the Opposition party would do to remedy conditions.

Some of his proposals were: To prevent unemployment from increasing by keeping children at school until they have a job to go to, providing need for additional accommodation and consequently a building programme and more jobs; Compulsory superannuation for all governmental employees at the age of sixty years.

Organization of unemployed youths into labor battalions for co-ordination of technical education. Socialization of finance for effective control of currency and credit, the provincial task being to make representations on this to Ottawa.

Socialization of all means of production, distribution and service essential to human needs. Setting up of a labor code to secure for the worker maximum income and leisure as well as insurance for illness, accident, old age and unemployment.

A taxation policy, "designed to lessen the glaring inequalities of income and to provide funds for social service and the socialization of industry."

"BABY" TALKS  
"I feel you will agree," he said at the outset, "that for the last two weeks, I, as the baby of this Legislature, have been a very good baby, but I consider it is time that I made myself heard, and also consider I have very good reasons for so doing."

He said first, as a Socialist, he regarded all the members of the House not as individuals, but as the expression of one system or another. They were there either to maintain and administer the "decadent system" of capitalism or with the avowed intention of eradicating that system and establishing a new economic order. The two were irreconcilable and those representing them must stand unshakably opposed.

**DIFFERENCE IN FIGURES**  
After decrying the "pat on the back" speeches in the debate, he denounced the "pomp" of the opening ceremony with the display of armed forces. It was apparent the government did not realize the real state of affairs in B.C. so he gave a synopsis of the relief situation, showing that while a married man with three children was allowed \$396 a year, the Labor Gazette figures showed a sum of \$1,297.92 per year was the amount needed for living.

"The members of this House may theoretically make these figures like but they can't take it from me, who has had nineteen months practical experience in the relief camps," he declared. "After seeing the inactivity of the present government I have come to the conclusion no man should be allowed to run for the legislature unless he has existed for two years on direct relief."

He also attacked the relief camp system for single men who were sometimes expelled without trial or reason and became derelicts. **PROGRESS OR RECEDE?**

"There have been civilizations in the past, civilizations as great, if not greater than our own. They reached a stage in development in which the economic system would not supply the sustenance of life to the citizens and they had to make a radical change in their system of society, and move onward to a new and better accomplishment, or sink back into oblivion. We are at the same stage now. We must move on to a new economic, social or racial backwards into another dark age," he said.

Mr. Winch also quoted Dominion statistics showing that on the earnings of people of British Columbia in 1931, showing that none of the averages were as high as the figure of \$1,297 set by the Labor Gazette.

"It is not a terrible indictment of the existing system and the existing governments, then I would like to know what is?" he asked.

**HELPLESSNESS**  
The present government of the province has been unable to helplessness and inability to cope with the situation and utterances of Liberal members had shown they had no grasp whatever of the job ahead, he maintained.

Mr. Winch dealt with the speeches of several previous speakers with special reference to G. G. McGeer, E.C. Independent Liberal, Vancouver, who, he said, had been wrong in stating prosperity was around the corner. Property was around the corner, but it was around the same corner in which socialism would be found.

**LABOR BATTALIONS**  
In his remedial proposals, Mr. Winch dealt at some length with the plan of organizing labor battalions, which, he said, could be put to work in various ways.

Some could be instructed in mineralogy and geology and sent out on a mineral survey with the idea of working out a programme of scientific logging and reforestation.

Co-operatively operated farms for experimental purposes could be established to demonstrate to the farmers how their farms could be placed on an economically sound basis.

Other men could be put to work tearing down slums and building modern houses and apartments. This, he said, could be financed by application of the funds now used for direct relief, a heavy increase in in-

come tax in the higher brackets and heavy succession duties.

**STATE INSURANCE**  
He also stressed the province take over all lines of insurance, life, fire and health. In this connection, he said, in the town of Salmon Arm the difference between the amount paid out for fire insurance premiums and the amount paid out for fire claims was more than the total amount of taxes paid into the city treasury. Under state controlled fire insurance the province could insure against fire, pay fire claims and charge no municipal taxes all for the price of the present fire rates.

## SHOW BALANCE IN FINANCES

Revenue of Citizens' Recreation Room Dropped Off, However, Last Year

A bank balance of \$853.14 is shown in the financial statement of the Citizens' Recreation room for unemployed men, recently completed and audited by Reginald Genn. While the balance is shown, R. F. Taylor, treasurer, pointed out that total revenue this year dropped considerably, necessitating a decrease in the expenditures.

The revenue for 1933-34 was \$3,125.05, with an expenditure of \$2,449.98. This year \$2,294.31 was collected, and \$2,416.14 paid out. There were liabilities outstanding at the end of either term. The rooms were opened two years ago.

Income for the organization is derived from three sources, public donations, tag days and concert proceeds. Some is also attributed to concerts sponsored by the recreation room committee. The support of the public has enabled the continuance of the fine work which the room promotes and officials hope it will be possible to carry on without any serious financial setback during the approaching year.

The financial statement for the year follows:  
February 1, 1933: Cash in bank ..... \$ 675.07  
Cash received for twelve months ..... 2,294.31  
..... \$2,969.38  
Cash expenditures for twelve months ..... 2,416.14  
..... \$ 553.14

January 31, 1934: Balance cash in bank ..... \$ 547.32  
Balance cash on hand ..... 5.86  
..... \$ 553.14

**Summary of Expenditures**  
Wages ..... \$1,525.00  
Rent ..... 645.00  
Postage ..... 20.21  
Telephone ..... 72.00  
B.C.E.L. Co. .... 73.17  
Taxes ..... 18.00  
Insurance ..... 15.25  
Tag day expenses ..... 19.31  
Stationery and supplies ..... 13.97  
Sundries ..... 13.03  
..... \$2,416.14

The whole amount (\$73.17) paid to the B.C.E.L. Company was refunded by that company, and refund is included in receipts.

## MEMBERSHIP PLAN HEARD

Chamber of Commerce May Alter Structure to Increase Numerical Strength

Possible alteration in the structure of the Victoria Chamber of Commerce to permit men interested in specialized departments of the field the chamber covers to take out membership in certain branches at a reduced fee were suggested to the directors at their luncheon in Spencer's dining room yesterday.

The matter was referred to a special committee under the chairmanship of R. H. Ker and including H. Stevens, B. C. Nicholas, W. T. Straith, F. M. McGregor and Herbert Anson. Harold M. Diggon, chairman of the retail merchants' group who suggested the change, will be asked to outline his ideas more fully before the committee.

Mr. Diggon pointed out the necessity of having a representative and numerically strong membership in his retail section when matters pertaining to retail business was under discussion.

Talking to merchants around Victoria, he had found a desire for affiliation with a group dealing with matters pertaining to the trade. Mr. Diggon stated, but had also found an unwillingness by small merchants to meet the existing fee for full membership in the chamber.

He suggested a retail group be formed, affiliated with the chamber, in which members would pay a comparatively small fee, but would have an equal voice in matters pertaining to their business.

His argument was supported by J. H. Fletcher and J. O. Cameron. **WHITE BILL**  
Consideration of the White Bill, a measure before the United States House of Representatives aimed to set up a reciprocal levy against Canada to offset this country's charge on goods transported into Canada over United States railway lines, was tabled for fuller consideration.

The matter was brought up by George I. Warren, managing secretary, who spoke of a letter he had received from Seattle which stated the proposed White Bill was being considered as a means of equalizing transportation charges between the two countries.

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St. Mary's Senior W.A.—St. Mary's

Senior W.A. will hold their regular

meeting in St. Mary's Hall on Thurs-

day at 2:30 p.m. All members are

requested to be present to hear the

report of the annual meeting of the

Columbia Diocesan Board. At 3:15

o'clock a missionary address will be

given by Miss Constance J. Brandon,

international secretary of the World

Domestic Movement, on "The White

Fields of Harvest," to which all W.A.

members and friends are invited.

PRINCE TO WED

ACTRESS SOON

London Registry Office Wed-

ding For Prince Sigvard

Thursday

London, March 6.—Prince Sigvard

of Sweden and Erka Patzek—the

young German screen actress he re-

fused to give up despite the pleas of

his royal parents will be married

Thursday, at the registry office and

when the prince filed notice of intent

at the Caxton Hall registry office.

The prince appeared somewhat em-

barrassed when he jumped out of a

taxi at the registry office and found

a considerable crowd gathered to

watch the proceedings.

Accompanied by George Gordon, his

solicitor, he hurried into the regis-

trary's room to give the details the

law requires to know about himself

and his fiancée.

Gordon said later on behalf of

Prince Sigvard.

The honeymoon will be spent in

Italy and the bride and bridegroom

will leave Friday morning on their

trip.

The official notice of the intended

marriage gave the prince's age as

twenty-six and listed his bride-to-be

as Erka Regina Rosalie Patzek,

spinster, aged twenty-two.

Mrs. J. W. Fordham Johnson, enter-

tained at a delightful luncheon

party at her home today

for the wives of the provincial cabinet

ministers. Covers were laid for the

following guests at a table beau-

tifully decorated with sprays of

flowers and matching tapers in silver candel-

abra: Mrs. T. D. Pattullo, Mrs. G. M.

Weir, Mrs. J. A. Macdonald, Mrs. E. G. An-

ton, Mrs. G. A. Bucklin, Mrs. G. C.

Jones, Mrs. J. Sutherland Brown, Mrs.

W. Curtis Sampson, Mrs. W. G. Wil-

son, Mrs. H. Despard Tisdale, Mrs. E.

Crow Baker, Mrs. Alfred Carmichael,

Mrs. F. E. Winslow and Mrs. J. B.

Clearhouse.

Mrs. G. W. Mitchell and Miss Clara

Warner of Oak Bay are staying at the

Forest Inn, Shawigan Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Ramsey and

son, of Minneapolis, Minn., are among

the United States visitors staying at

the Empress Hotel.

Mr. David Neris Suttie of Kimber-

ley, B.C., whose marriage to Miss

Catherine Mary Garbutt will take

place to-morrow evening, has arrived

in Victoria from the interior.

Visitors arriving at the Empress

Hotel this week from Winnipeg in-

clude Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Wilson, Mr.

and Mrs. F. E. Halls and Mr. W. W.

Breckenridge.

Mr. Russell Shanahan returned to

Victoria yesterday morning after

spending the week-end in Vancouver

as the guest of his parents, Mr. and

Mrs. F. W. Smelt.

Miss Ruth Walcott of Maple Bay has

returned to her home on the island

after spending the week-end in Vic-

toria as the guest of Miss Eleanor

Everall, Fort Street.

Major and Mrs. G. H. D. Martin

of Walkerton, Ont., who have been

holidaying in Southern California, are

visiting Victoria on their way back

home. They are staying at the Em-

press Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jones, Rockland

Avenue, have returned to their home

in Victoria from California, where

they went to meet their daughter,

Mrs. David Lambert, who arrived in

San Francisco from China and who

accompanied them back to Victoria.

Mrs. Lambert will spend about a

week here with Mr. and Mrs. Jones

prior to leaving for England to join

Commander Lambert there.

Mrs. C. A. Hartley, who has been

visiting in England for the last few

months, is expected home to-morrow,

and will be met in Vancouver by her

daughter, Miss Roma Hartley.

Mrs. B. Wilmot and Mrs. L. P.

Knight, both of Duncan, who have

been spending a week in Victoria

with Mrs. F. D. Campbell, Ford Bay

Road, returned on Saturday to their

homes up the island.

Mrs. Leonard Wrench of Hazelton,

who has been spending some months

at Kamloops, has arrived in Victoria

a two-months visit to her mother,

Mrs. A. Mainwaring Johnson, before

returning to her home.

Miss Kathleen Hall and Miss

Doreen Swaine returned to Victoria

yesterday evening aboard the Dorothy

Alexander from Pasadena, where they

attended the California state swim-

ming championships, in which Miss

Swaine won the women's singles.

Mrs. H. Moorhouse, who came down

to attend the annual session of the

Columbia Diocesan Board last week

and was the guest of her son and

daughter-in-law, Capt. and Mrs. H.

W. N. Moorhouse, Oak Bay, left on

Sunday for her home at Ganges.

Mrs. John Day, 59 Cook Street,

accompanied by her daughter, Mrs.

E. J. Walton Smith and Miss Lois

Smith, Burnside Road, who sailed for

the Hawaiian Islands in January,

returned to Victoria on Saturday aboard

the Empress, after a visit to her

delightful holiday in Honolulu.

Mr. W. C. Brown, K.C., of Van-

couver, has returned to his home on

the mainland after spending the

week-end in Victoria with Mr. and

Mrs. J. Murray Cameron. Mrs. Brown

has also been visiting her

brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and

Mrs. Cameron, who are remaining in

Victoria with them for a longer visit.

Miss Margaret Gallier, who has been

visiting in Vancouver for the last

few days, was among the guests at

the "Klondike Light" party at the

Royal Vancouver Yacht Club on Sat-

urday evening, when gay colorful

posters lined the walls of the "dim-

me-dance hall," and the orchestra were

appropriately garbed in windbreakers

and moccasins.

Major and Mrs. J. Hamilton Stubbs

of Kaslo, who have been spending a

couple of months in Victoria with

their son-in-law and daughter, Mr.

and Mrs. Kenneth Taylor, Brighton

Avenue, have left for Vancouver,

where they will spend a week prior

to returning to their home in the

interior. They were accompanied by

Vancouver by Mrs. Tatlow, who will

spend a short time on the mainland.

A very pleasant afternoon was

spent at the home of Mrs. Annie

Dickinson, 1028 View Street, when

she entertained a number of friends

to the occasion being her birthday

party. The table and room were

beautifully decorated with daffodils,

violets and Oregon grape. Mrs. E.

McKinnon served tea, assisted by

Miss Margaret Mossy. The invited

guests included Mrs. E. McKinnon,

Mrs. Arty, Mrs. Brown, Mrs. Mossy,

Mrs. Atkinson, Mrs. Gregor, Mrs.

Hull, Mrs. Simpson, Mrs. Maddison,

Mrs. Pierson, Mrs. Fleming and chil-

dren, Miss A. Gladstone, Miss Mar-

garet Mossy and others.

Among the guests registered at the

Dominion Hotel are: Mr. R. V. White-

side, Vancouver; Mr. H. J. Wells,

Vancouver; Mr. S. C. Thorpe, Van-

couver; Mrs. F. E. Reid, Van-

couver; Mr. H. N. Hanco, Mr. Hanco,

Vancouver; Mr. E. A. Johnson,

Seattle; Mr. M. J. Sweeney, Van-

couver; Mr. G. Cruickshank, Calgary,

Mr. J. Williams, Vancouver; Mr. W.

S. Illingworth, North Vancouver; Mr.

Victor Cowley, Borden, Sask.; Mr. A.

J. Bond, New Westminster; Mr. and

Mrs. Wallace Smith, Edmonton; Mr.

and Mrs. R. F. Blackmer, Edmonton;

Mr. L. S. Wilson, Vancouver; Mr. F.

E. Sloan, Vancouver; Mr. G. F. Oler,

Portland; Mr. H. H. Stage, Portland;

Mr. F. Hart, Vancouver; Mr. W.

McCluskie, Vancouver; Mr. Thos.

Wright, Swift Current, Sask.; Mr. C.

H. Slack, Springdale, Sask.

Miss Alexandra Turner of Seattle

has returned to her home in Wash-

ington after spending the week-end

in Victoria as the guest of Miss Dulce

Hamlet, Amphion Street.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Blake Wilson of

Vancouver have returned to their

home on the mainland after spend-

ing the week-end in Victoria as guests

at the Empress Hotel.

After completing her three years' training

in the Jubilee Hospital nursing school, Miss Florence

Hollist left on Saturday for her home at

Fulford Harbor, Salt Spring Island.

Mr. J. H. Humphrey, assistant to

Mr. Grant Hall, first vice-president of

the C.P.R., is a visitor in the city

from Montreal. He is accompanied by

Mrs. Humphrey, and they will be

guests at the Empress Hotel for the

next two months.

Honoring Miss Jean McLean, whose

marriage takes place in the near

future, Mrs. M. McDuff and Mrs. R.

Patterson entertained at the home of

the former, 1333 Lyall Street, Equil-

malt, on Monday evening. On behalf

of herself and her guests, Mrs. McDuff

presented Miss McLean with a tes-

service. The evening was spent in

music and games. A dainty supper

was served later, the table was prettily

decorated in soft shades of mauve and

centered with a bowl of spring

flowers. Guests present included Mes-

dames D. McLean, M. Nicol, R. Nicol,

E. Kemp, A. McEwen, L. Hansen, J.

Watt, M. Dobbin, N. Patterson, M.

McDuff, A. Stewart, and Misses Jean

McLean, Isabel McLean, Jean Hansen,

Hazel Hansen, Kathie Moore, Cath-

leen Goodall, Mae Ford, Mae McEwen,

and Emily McDuff.

Recently Mrs. D. Clarke, assisted

by her mother, Mrs. P. A. MacLean,

entertained the members of Canadian

Daughters League, Assembly No. 30,

and their friends at a most successful

bridge party. The winners at the card

game were Mrs. S. Foster, Mr. Frank

Briers, Mrs. C. Godson received the

consolation prize. The reception

rooms were beautifully decorated with



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When meat is off the menu, desserts made with eggs are most acceptable. Such desserts are high in food value and contribute protein to a marked degree. It is only when the dinner is light in food value that a pudding, rich in milk and eggs is suitable.

Custard pie is a universal favorite, but baked custards are rather more desirable when there are small children in the family. The same variety in flavor can be achieved in the baked custard as in the custard pie.

A perfectly made caramel custard is one of the most delicious desserts in the cook's repertoire and in a season when eggs are cheap and certainly is justified in serving it often.

Caramel custard

Two cups milk, 3 eggs, 1/4 cup sugar, 1/4 teaspoon salt, 1/4 teaspoon vanilla.

Scald milk. Melt sugar in an iron frying pan until a light brown syrup.

Stir sugar constantly while melting. Pour about half the caramel into the pudding mold, turning mold rapidly to coat entire surface. Add scalded milk to remaining caramel and cook in a moderate oven.

Remove at once from the fire and gradually add to eggs slightly beaten. Add salt and vanilla and pour into prepared mold.

Place mold in a pan of hot water and bake in a moderate oven. Be sure that the water does not boil during the baking. Test by inserting the point of a silver knife in the center of the custard. If the knife comes out clean the custard is done. It takes about fifty minutes to bake a large custard. Individual custards will bake in thirty minutes.

When the custard is cold unmold onto a chilled serving dish. The caramel will run down over the mold and form a sauce around it.

FLOAKING ISLAND

This is another excellent dessert that is nourishing and delicious.

Two cups scalded milk, 3 eggs, 2-3 cup granulated sugar, 1/4 teaspoon salt, 1 teaspoon vanilla.

Beat yolks of eggs slightly with half the sugar and half the salt. Stir egg whites while adding scalded milk. Cook over boiling water, stirring until mixture comes to a boil. Remove at once from heat and strain if not perfectly smooth. Chill and beat in half the vanilla. Beat white of eggs with some table-spoon cold cream and remaining salt until stiff. Fold in remaining sugar, two table-spoons at a time. Flavor with vanilla and drop from tip of spoon over the "boiled" custard which has been poured into a chilled serving dish. Served very cold.

The custard can be served in individual glasses with an "island" of the egg whites topping each glass. A cube of jelly or a cherry dropped in the centre of each island makes an inviting garnish.

TO-MORROW'S MENU

Breakfast: Oranges, cereal cooked

## JACK LONDON'S DAUGHTER SUE

Professor Husband Asks For Divorce; Radio Causes Complaint

Los Angeles, March 6.—Jack London's daughter, Joan, was sued for divorce today by Charles Malamuth, linguist, writer and former professor of Slavic languages at the University of California, who said she read his mail, sometimes refused to give it to him and finally deserted him.

If the ghost of the great California author of "Sea Wolf" could wander about in his beloved "Valley of the Moon" it probably would chuckle over the charges in Malamuth's complaint. Malamuth's perhaps best known for his translations of Russian tragedies, stated that "Joan insisted on playing the radio while I was engaged in scientific study or in creative literary endeavors."

She insisted on playing jazz tunes on the radio while the plaintiff was writing tragic scenes. She would refuse to change the reception to a symphony orchestra. On the other hand, when the plaintiff was in a gay mood and wanted light entertainment, she insisted on playing Bach fugues.

Mrs. Malamuth refused to discuss the suit. "There is nothing for me to add," she said.

The Malamuths were married in December, 1928. He sued her for divorce in Oakland in 1930 and was granted a decree, but before it became final they were reconciled. Malamuth's complaint said they separated again September 20, 1932. Mrs. Malamuth's first husband was Park Abbott.

## Orpheus Choir To Repeat Cantata

On account of a number of requests the Orpheus Choral Society will repeat the cantata, "A Tale of Old Japan" (St. Coleridge Taylor) at Oak Bay United Church, on Tuesday, March 20.

This fine choral work was given for the first time in Victoria a few weeks ago, and it met with instant approval. W. C. Fyfe will conduct the chorus again with the following soloists: Miss Marjorie Watson, soprano; Miss Mona Bradford, contralto; Frank Spooner, tenor; F. J. Mitchell, baritone. A Gurney will be accompanist.

The music of this work is very lovely. It was first performed at the Queen's Hall, London, in 1911. Sir Henry J. Wood conducted the London Choral Society on that occasion. The poem is by Alfred Noyes, and is a story of two Japanese painters. The programme will also contain other interesting features.

First United Group.—Group B of the Women's Association of the First United Church met yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. N. Westwood, Princess Avenue, when plans were made for a guest luncheon to be held at the church on May 10. Arrangements were also made for the luncheon to be held in conjunction with Group A at the Hudson's Bay Company on Thursday afternoon at 1 o'clock. During the business meeting Mrs. J. B. Munro, the president, was in the chair. The devotional period was taken by Mrs. J. McKay and Mrs. Strathern. Tea was served following the meeting by the hostesses. Mrs. Christie presided at the table, which was attractive with spring flowers.

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## ROYALTY GOES DEMOCRATIC AT CUPID'S CALL



Defiance of his royal relatives by Prince Sigvard of Sweden, who could not be persuaded to reconsider his determination to wed Erika Patzek, German film actress, despite the threat that he would be deprived of his royal rights, recalls other princes of the purple who underwent similar "martyrdom" for love. Prince Lennart, in 1932, and became prince of the purple who underwent similar "martyrdom" for love. Prince Gustaf, in 1932, and became prince of the purple who underwent similar "martyrdom" for love. Prince Carl, in 1932, and became prince of the purple who underwent similar "martyrdom" for love.

Only this week Miss Elizabeth Mackenzie, a twenty-eight-year-old society girl and racing motorist, has decided to become a nun of the Apostolate of the Holy Grail. She has already left for the Mother House in Holland to serve a three-year novitiate.

This order is an order of "modern nuns." It was founded six years ago by 100 Dutch nuns who wanted to work for modern girls. They wear ordinary clothes outside the convent and mix freely with all classes of people. All the nuns take vows of obedience, chastity and poverty, but the novices take no vows until the training period is over.

BUSIEST WOMAN? Who is the busiest woman in Great Britain? Probably Lady Cynthia Colville, wife of the Hon. George Colville and a daughter of the Marquis of Crewe.

Besides running her home and attending to her many family interests she is Lady Cynthia Colville's own for three months in each year, and in addition is a member of the general assembly of the Church of England, a member of the Council of the Juvenile Court, a member of the Maternity Association, a member of the Child Guidance Council, a member of the National Association of Prohibition Officers, a member of the Institute of Medical Psychology, president of the National Association of Women Public Health Officers, chairman of the special appeal committee of the National Council for Maternity and Child Welfare, an active member of a hospital association, founder and president of an Infant Welfare Centre, a member of the Council of the Royal College of Music, and a member of the Council of Bedford College, the famous women's university.

CASHING-IN ON HATS Miss Molly Ellen, a twenty-four-year-old London girl, three years ago was nursing a patient in a small house in an unrefined quarter of London and designing hats for pocket money.

Now she is one of the most important hat designers in England and is rapidly making a fortune—one hat alone has brought in hundreds of pounds from "royalties."

ORPHANS' HOME COMMITTEE MET

The monthly meeting of the ladies' committee of the Protestant Orphans' Home was held yesterday, with the president, Mrs. F. V. Longstaff, in the chair and the following members present: Mesdames Sherwood, Humphries, Dorman, Dismore, McKee, Calvert, Dillabough, O. M. Brown, Heddle, Fraser, Elliott, Cox, Shepherd, Hughes, Simpson and Miss Murray.

During the month Rev. J. B. Rowell entertained the children with lantern slides on the life of David Livingstone, which was much enjoyed.

Mr. Butler brought his famous dog "Silver King," who performed many tricks, much to the delight of the children.

There are now forty-three children in the home, twenty-five girls and eighteen boys. Visiting ladies for March will be: Mrs. Fraser and Mrs. Hughes.

Donations gratefully received in February were: Hudson's Bay Company, bread; Junior Red Cross, toys and books; Dr. Gibson, dental services; Dr. P. M. Bryant, medical services; Times and Colonist, daily papers.

## CARIBOO HAS SNOW QUEEN

Miss Mildred Tregillus Crowned at Celebration at Barkerville

Canadian Press

Quebec, B.C., March 6.—Miss Mildred Tregillus was crowned as Barkerville's first snow queen by H. B. King, honorary president of the Barkerville Ski Club.

Preceded by the crown bearer, little Tootsie Taft, the snow queen, prettily dressed in a suit of satin, with a twelve-foot train, held up by Jacques Sanderson and Elsie Peterson, was escorted to the throne by the honorary president. Behind the train bearers came the maids of honor, Betty Bustin, Frances Murphy, Geraldine McCall, Annie Macrol and Flora Dikken.

The throne was attractively decorated in scarlet with a background of evergreen trees. No previous announcement had been made, and no one in the hall was aware, until the "royal" entrance, which candidate had been elected.

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## Junior W.A. Is Busy on Plans For Dog Show

Plans for the dog show to be held at the Victoria Kennel Club, under the auspices of the Junior W.A. of the Jubilee Hospital, were discussed at the monthly meeting of the auxiliary held yesterday at the Nurses' Home, the president, Mrs. K. R. F. Denniston, in the chair.

The members will assist with the senior W.A. tag day on April 7. Miss Ellen Tustin will be the convener of a corner by the City Market on that day.

It was announced that Dr. T. W. Walker will address the members at the next meeting.

In connection with the dog show, it was decided by the members to take charge of the refreshments and luncheon, tea and supper will be served to all who attend the show.

Miss Margot Robertson offered a prize to the member of the auxiliary selling the largest number of tickets, and these will include an opportunity to obtain a registered Cairn puppy.

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We need not go much farther to recognize that this is a definitely precocious child. Learning and memorizing are easier than for most other children.

At two he could recite fifty Mother Goose rhymes. At three he knew all the stories read to him by heart. He is now having read to him by his grandmother stories suitable to older children.

He is very curious and anxious to learn. He can spell and print his own name, that of a companion and two pet dogs. He reads all the letters of the alphabet, more numbers up to ten and can count to 100.

Probably kindergarten isn't terribly exciting to a child this far advanced, yet he needs to take part in the physical activities kindergarten has to offer. He should play roughly with his father. His shrinking from companions may indicate a too sheltered and protected childhood, so that he fears the physical conflict with his schoolmates. He needs children his own age to play with. Older children are too stimulating and too often protective. He must learn to mix with children of his own age, take what they have to give, learn to protect himself, and be at home with them. Unless this is made an objective, the child may turn more and more to mental achievements as a satisfaction in a world that is physically terrifying to him.

DISLIKES KINDERGARTEN

Mrs. G. has a five-year-old boy who has been in kindergarten for three weeks. At first he was enthusiastic to go, but now he is reluctant. He does not mix with the children, but stays solitary and alone. He says the teacher is mean—she says he is timid—and he tells his mother

PRECOCIOUS CHILD APT TO DEVELOP ONE-SIDEDLY

Because it is so easy to stuff the gifted child with knowledge, we are inclined to do so. We must, as parents, recognize that a child's development from the mental alone. When it is apparent that his interests are weighted one way or the other, the wise mother will manage in some way to shift the emphasis and achieve a better balance.

EGGS FORM A COMPLETE DIET IN miniature, a quality they share with milk.

OF COURSE I DO, BUT MARRIAGE CAN BE SO DIFFERENT FROM WHAT ONE EXPECTS... ROMANCE FADES SO SOON... LOOK AT TED AND ME

BUT, SIS, WHY SO SERIOUS? AREN'T YOU GLAD I'M ENGAGED? DON'T YOU LIKE MY PHIL?

SIS, IT'S PARTLY YOUR FAULT YOU'VE BECOME A LITTLE CARELESS ABOUT HOW YOU LOOK... SOMETIMES EVEN ABOUT "B.O."

OH, BARS, I NEVER REALIZED... I'LL CHANGE TO LIFEBOUY. THEN I'LL BE SAFE

What's the sensible thing to do about "B.O."?

(body odor)

TAKE CHANCES? Trust to luck you won't offend? NO! "B.O." (body odor) is too serious to trifle with. It's too easy to be guilty and not know it—any time of the year. Play safe always—bathe regularly with Lifebuoy. It's different from ordinary toilet soaps in every way—color, scent, quality of lather. Its fresh, clean, quickly-vanishing scent tells you Lifebuoy gives extra protection. Its rich, searching lather purifies and exfoliates pores—stops "B.O." Removes germs from hands—helps guard health.

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## Dorothy Dix's Letter Box

**Girl Who Knowingly Marries Arguer Deserves the Years of Misery She Is Sure to Have—How Can You Tell Whether Your Love Is the Real Thing?**

DEAR MISS DIX—Is there any cure for arguing? I have been going with a man for some time and like him very much, except that he has a passion for arguments. This is bad enough when we are alone, but it embarrasses me to death when we are in company, and causes my friends much annoyance. He will sit by the hour and argue and argue. Can anything be done to break him of this habit and show him how foolish he is at times? M. B.

Answer—My dear girl, your guardian angel is working overtime to try to save you from a lifetime of misery. He, she or it (whichever angels are) is shrieking (if angels shriek) a warning not to marry an arguer if you value your happiness and your peace of mind.

Marry a drunkard, or a philanderer, or a weary Willie if you are bound to gamble on matrimony, but never, never marry an arguer. That is the worst matrimonial bet you can possibly make. For the drunkard will have seasons of sobriety in which he may be a delightful companion. The philanderer is often as charming at home as he is abroad. You can't get half as tired supporting a husband as you can get listening to one who never agrees with anybody about anything.

But the arguer never stops. He has no pleasant season. So let the negative side win out when you debate the question of whether you should marry a disputatious man or not.

In all good truth, there is no other such social pest as the arguer. There is no other such bore. He can ruin any party. He can take the pep out of any occasion. He is a killjoy and an irritation wherever he is, and any girl who knowingly marries one is simply out hunting for trouble and deserves what she gets.

Don't delude yourself with the idea that you can cure any one with the arguing habit. It can't be done. It is an incurable mania. The poor victim of the no-no complex is just bound to differ with you and start something, no matter what you say.

You can't even remark that it is a pleasant day without his flippantly contradicting you and hurting at you a bale of thermometer readings and weather reports that show the temperature is not what it should be, and the humidity is all wrong, and there is every chance of a cyclone or a drought before night. If you say you like roast beef to eat, the arguer pounces on you and proceeds to prove, first, that you have no epicurean taste in food, and secondly that roast beef is just a shade more deadly than poison to put in your stomach. Just to mention politics, religion, fashion, foreign events is like shaking a red rag at a mad bull to the arguer.

Whether arguers argue because of some contrary streak in their nature that never permits them to agree with anyone else, or whether it is because they think that to differ with everyone makes them appear brilliant and original, or whether it is just because they love the sound of their own voices, nobody knows. But, whatever the reason, they are the most tiresome creatures on earth, and all of us flee at their approach as we would from one afflicted with the plague.

It is in the home, however, that the arguer gets in his most deadly work. It is there that he becomes a potent stirrer-up of strife. Practically every family row starts in an argument. It is the husband who is a conscientious objector, who opposes everything the wife does and gets into an argument about it, that makes women grow old before their time or sends them to Reno.

There are plenty of wives who have what should be a happy life, spoiled by their husbands' arguing. The men are good and kind and really don't begrudge their wives anything, but they ruin every pleasure by arguing over it until all of the edge has been taken off. They argue about the food at dinner. They argue about the way the children are being raised. They argue about their wives' clothes. They argue over the bills. They argue about what movies they shall go to see. Until the poor exhausted wives are ready to give up and die.

Once a man is an arguer he is always an arguer, but a wise woman doesn't make a tiresome companion of him. DOROTHY DIX.

DEAR MISS DIX—How does a man tell for certain whether he is in love with a girl or not? There is a certain girl whom I find myself thinking about dozens of times each day. Everything I do somehow links back to something we have done together. Every song I hear makes me think of her. I can go to the most brilliant party and if she is not there it seems dull and I am so bored I am in a hurry to get away, or I can go to the most commonplace affair and if she is anywhere in the room, just so I can get a glimpse of her now and then, I have a glorious time. Is this love? UNCERTAIN.

Answer—It is. It is the real, genuine, blown-in-the-bottle kind of love that lasts and satisfies, and you need have no hesitation about marrying any girl that you feel that way about.

There are many varieties of near-love that seem so much like the real thing that it is no wonder so many men mistake a slight palpitation in the cardiac region for a fatal case of heart disease. Many men, for instance, think they are in love with a pretty face when the girl has no quality of mind or soul that interests them or appeals to them. Very often a man marries such a girl for her beauty and then inevitably he becomes tired of his living picture.

Very often a woman's attraction for a man is purely physical and that, too, wanes with time and is killed by satiety. If he marries such a woman, their life together is filled with storms and jealousies and fierce fights that often end in divorce.

But when a woman just fills a man's life and glorifies it with her presence she inspires in him the love that lasts and grows greater year by year. Wherever she is she makes home for him, and he is at rest. Better is a dinner of herbs with her than a feast with another. Just her presence sets the sun in his skies.

She may babble like the brook about the baby cutting a tooth, and the new hat she bought, but it is more interesting to him than the conversation of the most brilliant highbrow. She may have no claim to good looks, but she is the most beautiful woman in the world in his eyes. She may have a thousand faults and he may know them every one, but they are dear to him because they are hers. It is just that she is she and life with her is glorious, and life without her is cinders, ashes and dust. And that's love. DOROTHY DIX.

DEAR DOROTHY DIX—Why are so many school teachers headed for the old maid class? It is because they have ruled children so long that they have become domineering and men are afraid that they will make bossy wives? R. M. R.

Answer—I think you are mistaken in believing that there are more old maids among school teachers than there are among any other class of self-supporting women, or that men find them less attractive than other girls. In the west, in particular, I have been told that school teachers marry off so fast that they have a hard time keeping the school supplied with instructors.

Possibly there are egotistic men who are afraid of being bespeckled and who are not willing to marry girls better educated than themselves, but most men have come to realize that brains are an asset, and not a liability in a wife, and that makes the schoolma'am a preferred risk. DOROTHY DIX.

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## HOROSCOPE

"The stars incline, but do not compel"

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 7, 1934  
According to astrology this should be a successful day in which all constructive effort is stimulated by the stars.

Building in all forms will be pushed as the spring advances, and a shortage of houses will ensue. There will be no cause for alarm, however, as the stars encourage effort toward steady employment and the gradual adjustment of industrial production. Warning is given that strikes may multiply owing to sinister influences.

Agitation concerning the sale and sources of alcoholic beverages may be persistent. It is urged, but there is to be a proper control of the trade in wines and whiskeys. Warning is given that most pollution may cause serious results among the rich as well as the poor. Care should be exercised in the choice and preparation of green vegetables.

The solar eclipse next month will have a special effect upon New York and Washington, astrologers forecast, and will cause a decided interest in financial matters of the nation.

Spain will influence California and Mexico in a manner that may cause disasters from earthquakes or unusual storms as well as political and financial tangles.

Starting political upsets are prognosticated in the coming elections. New parties will be formed and unusual alliances may be entered into.

Farmers and labor leaders are to find many exceedingly resourceful and energetic opponents and they will gain power through efficient leadership, if the stars are rightly read.

Persons whose birthdate it is have the augury of a year of variety and pleasure. Financial affairs should be satisfactory and friends are likely to be helpful in business.

Children born on this day probably will be exceedingly resourceful and energetic. Many subjects of this sign are convincing talkers and endowed with magnetic personalities.

Among those who have celebrated this day as a birthday are Luther Burbank, 1849, famous horticulturist; E. P. Roe, 1828, popular novelist; Calista Anderson, 1822, college president; Stephen Hopkins, 1767, colonial governor of Rhode Island; and Ben Ames Williams, 1897, writer. (Copyright, McClure Newspaper Syndicate)

## ON THE AIR

### HEADLINERS ON RADIO TO-NIGHT

5.00—Leo Reisman's orchestra, with Phil Dury, baritone, will be on the air from the WBC studios in New York—KGO, KOMO.

6.00—The Philadelphia Orchestra, under the direction of Leopold Stokowski, will present the first movement of Tchaikovsky's Symphony No. 3 in D Major—KOL, KVI, KSL.

6.00—"Seville Fair," with Gertrude Newton, Elia Fandos and Leon Zuckert's Argentine orchestra, will be on the air over the CBC system—CBCV.

6.15—"Mata Fitting" will interpret "Swanee Cradle Song" and "Odds and Ends of an Old Love"—KOL, KVI, KSL.

6.30—"The Minneapolis Symphony Orchestra," under the direction of Eugene Ormandy, will begin a new series of concerts over CBC. The opening program will include Dvorak's "Carnival Overture," Percy Grainger's arrangement of "Rural Song" from County Kerry and the Scherzo from Mendelssohn's "Midsummer Night's Dream"—KOL, KVI, KSL.

6.30—Ontario will be spotlighted on the CBC "Parade of the Provinces" program—CBCV.

7.00—Phil Lord will tell true stories "about special" in the air. His broadcast from the cabin of the schooner Sph Parker, now anchored at Jacksonville, Florida—KGO, KOMO.

7.00—Allen Fehly and Philada Ashley will present their Piano Picture program, earlier in the week than usual, and will feature a selection of light classical music—KFO.

7.00—Colonel Lemuel O. Stepenz and Bud, Connie Howell and Glen Gray's Casa Loma orchestra will present another caravan of fooling and song—KOL, KVI, KSL.

7.30—"The Five Spirits of Rhythm" will present the CBS program "Harlem Rhythms," featuring "Got the Jitters" and "Way Down Yonder in New Orleans"—KVI.

7.45—"The Current Carriers," directed by Emil Polak, will present melodies from "Flamenco" and "Merry Mandy"—KGO, KOMO.

7.45—Robert Simmons, voice NBC star, will be heard from the company's New York studios. His delivery has such strength and volume that he usually sings some distance from the microphone—KFO.

8.00—"The Youngbloods of Beaver Bend," CBC radio dramatic sketch, will be heard from Winnipeg—CBCV.

8.15—Maurice Meier's orchestra will present their first appearance as a group in Montreal—KGO, KOMO.

8.30—"King for a Day" will present numbers from the Valley of Forgotten Songs, featuring "She's Funny That Way" and "Love Come Back to Me"—KFO.

8.45—Ben Bernie and his orchestra will be heard over the NBC system—Yvesville—KGO, KOMO.

9.15—Melen Warden and Dixie Everett, two-piece team, and the Varadon Fiddler, will present the CBC program "Rhapsodies in Rhythm"—CBCV.

9.30—"The Song of Arab," NBC musical-dramatic serial, will show three Allied soldiers in the Sultan's harem—KGO, KOMO.

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## TO SPEAK HERE

Well-known Credit Head  
Will Lecture on "A Community Credit Policy"

Sponsored by the Credit Grantees' Association of Victoria. Frank T. Caldwell will deliver a lecture in the Chamber of Commerce Auditorium on Friday evening at 8 o'clock. Mr. Caldwell is field representative of the National Retail Credit Association in charge of the western states and British Columbia. He has had considerable experience in his chosen field and being in touch with thousands of merchants and professional men by means of the contacts gained through the extensiveness of

the organization which he represents, he speaks with considerable authority. The association's activities were originally confined to the United States, a fact which influenced the inclusion of the word "national" in its name. In recent years, however, the success of its methods has been recognized and they have been adopted in many countries. To-day it can be truly said that the scope of the organization is international, in Canada, England, Australia, South Africa, Hongkong, France, Holland and Hawaii the movement continues to grow.

Mr. Caldwell is no stranger to British Columbia. On August 12, 1932, he visited here and spoke before a representative gathering of Victoria on "Present Retail Credit Problems and the Latest Methods of Credit Granting." That he possesses unusual facility to delve into the complexities of the many problems surrounding the question and to organize and deliver his findings in an interesting manner, was well established then. At a convention recently held in Vancouver, Mr. Caldwell's resource acquired tremendous enthusiasm. His subject on Friday is "A Community Credit Policy" and promises to be of outstanding interest. All merchants are invited to attend.

Miss Constance J. Brandon, international secretary of the World Dominion Movement, will speak to-night at 8 o'clock at the Missionary Alliance, Yates Street, below Government. Miss Brandon, who is well known to many in Victoria, who will be glad to have this opportunity of hearing her again. She has just returned from Great Britain.

## LITTLE HOPE FOR B.C. AID

Union of B.C. Municipalities to Press For Super Income Tax

Mayor Leeming, in an address before the municipal committee of the Legislature this morning, intimated that during a recent interview with Hon. John Hart, Minister of Finance, he had been left without a vestige of hope that the government would be in a position to find new avenues of revenue to relieve the municipalities of their present burdens.

The mayor further stated, however, that claims would be pressed forward for the imposition of the super income tax as a means of aiding cities and municipalities to meet the heavy burden placed upon them last year in the form of social services.

Former Victorian Dies in Denver

Canadian Press  
Vancouver, March 6.—The death occurred at Denver, Col., recently of Robert Baxter Hamilton, who was formerly engaged in the hotel business both here and in Victoria. He was proprietor of the old Leland Hotel and other well-known houses.

About fifteen years ago he retired from active business and moved to Denver. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Edith Baxter Hamilton, and one brother, Charles, Pendleton, Oregon.

Canada's Part Is Important

Holds Key Position in Establishing Friendship Between Nations

Expressing the opinion that Canada holds the key position in establishing the friendship of the British Commonwealth of Nations and the United States of America, Capt. John Bowen-Cuthbert, speaker, yesterday addressed members of the Overseas Club in Spencer's dining-room, on "The British Empire, Past, Present and Future."

The speaker related, how, in his opinion, such a friendship is the best hope for peace in the world, and reviewed the history of the Commonwealth from the time of Queen Elizabeth to the present.

He told of the efforts of the nations of the world to avoid another war and to bring about international peace, politically and economically as well as militarily.

The growing friendship between the Commonwealth and the United States, was outlined by the speaker.

At the family residence, 1015 1/2 St. Victor, on Sunday, the death occurred of David Hemmings Madley, six-week-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice J. Madley. Private funeral services will be held on Wednesday at Haywards B.C. Funeral Chapel, Rev. R. S. Lattrell officiating.

Premier Takes Few Days Rest

Premier T. D. Pattullo is feeling much better, it was announced this morning at his office, but will not return to his office and his seat in the House for day or two, as he has been advised to recuperate the strenuous part of the legislative session yet to come.

St. Mary's Oak Bay Ladies' Guild rummage sale in St. Mary's Hall, Tuesday, March 6, at 2:30 p.m. Articles called for. Phone Mrs. Cullis, E-9276.

The first meeting of the Young Men's Fraternity was held in the First Baptist Church with Rev. G. Reynolds in the chair. Rev. Reynolds opened the meeting with a brief summary of the principles of the Fraternity. The election of officers was as follows: Don Kelshy, president; Ernie McLean, vice-president; Gordon Hatt, secretary-treasurer; Roy Hurdle and Vern Palmer completing the executive. Vic. Palmer was elected as the reporter. Mr. Reynolds was named as honorary president. Many suggestions were brought forward for the executive to work on. After the business of the evening was over the members joined together in singing with Mr. Stout at the piano. Refreshments were served.

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## NEWS IN BRIEF

George Grant, Vancouver, who was arrested on the mainland for the Victoria police on a morality charge, was committed for trial when the summary hearing was completed in the City Police Court this morning.

The City Council, at its meeting yesterday evening, received and filed and ordered a copy of the provincial government's statement on an increase in the maximum food allowance for unemployed, to be sent to the local relief office.

When he pleaded guilty to stealing a pot of jam from a grocery store on Douglas Street, Alfred Weston was sentenced to one month in the Victoria Jail in City Police Court this morning. Thirteen previous convictions were read against the accused.

The regular Provincial Traveling Chest Clinic will be held in the Spencer Clinic, Jubilee Hospital, during this week. Examinations at this clinic are free. Those wishing a consultation are asked to make arrangements through their family doctor.

A dance of Young Liberals of Ward Three will be held at Liberal headquarters this evening from 8:45 till 11:45. Evelyn Holt, in her list, will supply the music, which will consist of Scotch and novelty dances. All Liberals are cordially invited to attend.

Under the auspices of the C.C.F. to-morrow evening at 8 o'clock in the Chamber of Commerce, the Rogers side of the Campbell River strike will be presented by representatives of the Rogers and C.C.F. members of the Legislature. The net proceeds from the meeting will be given to the strike fund.

As a result of an accident at the corner of Fraser and Lyle Streets, on February 30, Arthur Bennellack was convicted of driving on a common danger in Esquimalt Police Court yesterday afternoon, and fined \$20, or in default, five days imprisonment. The accused pleaded not guilty.

The fourth of a course of six lectures on books for Lenten reading will be given by Dean Quinlan on the morning evening at 8 o'clock in the Memorial Hall, the book to be discussed being "The Conversion of the Church" by Rev. Sam Shoemaker, rector of Calvary Church, New York.

A meeting of Ward One Liberal Association will be held at 8 o'clock in the evening next at 8 o'clock in Liberal headquarters, corner of Government and Broughton Streets. All Liberals of Ward One and the young Liberals are requested to attend as a young Liberal club will be formed. A social evening will be held after the meeting. An important announcement will appear later in the week.

A bridge and whist drive, followed by a dance will be held in Liberal headquarters on Wednesday evening next, by Ward Five Liberal Association. This will be one of the popular events of the month at Liberal headquarters and will undoubtedly attract a large gathering. Prizes will be given for both bridge and whist, and dancing will begin shortly after refreshments are served at 10:30 o'clock. All Liberals will be welcomed.

Expressions of regret over the loss of a valuable member were being voiced to-day at the Chamber of Commerce following the resignation of Frank Timmis, president of the Junior Chamber, who has been transferred to Vancouver. In his letter of resignation, Mr. Timmis spoke of his enjoyable affiliations with the chamber of commerce which he had enjoyed every success. Frank Timmis is now acting president of the body, pending an election to name a successor for Mr. Timmis.

The next and last meeting for this season of the Victoria West Community group will be held in the Victoria West United Church on Thursday evening next. The speaker for this occasion will be Rev. W. G. Wilson, D.D., who has chosen for his subject, "The Government of the Future—Democracy or Dictatorship?"

Dr. Wilson will make particular reference to the experiment now being tried out in Italy, which he has visited and studied on the ground a year or so ago. Rev. W. R. Brown will be the chairman.

Victoria to-day boasted another contact with San Francisco in the field of publicity with the receipt of a letter from the San Francisco Publicity Bureau announcing the desire of the National Automobile Club in the California city to co-operate with the local agency in interchanging "tourists" cards. The director of public contacts for the San Francisco organization, in a letter to George J. Warren expressed the wish that the bureau direct the distribution of literature in the two cities will be made by each body.

Dr. Norman Cook was to-day elected a director of the Kiwanis Club at the club's luncheon at the Empress Hotel, Victor King, as Doctor Sham Poo, assisted by Rowan MacKenzie and Darrell Spence, staged a clever stunt at the luncheon. Harry Charlesworth of Vancouver and Edward Dickson, newly appointed representative of the Imperial Oil Company here, were guests at the luncheon. Birthday congratulations of the club were extended to Harry J. Davis, Rowan MacKenzie, W. A. Patterson and Arthur Scourrah. Fred M. McGregor was congratulated on passing twenty-five years in the life insurance business. Brooke Stephenson was welcomed back after a trip to eastern business centers.

The first meeting of the Young Men's Fraternity was held in the First Baptist Church with Rev. G. Reynolds in the chair. Rev. Reynolds opened the meeting with a brief summary of the principles of the Fraternity. The election of officers was as follows: Don Kelshy, president; Ernie McLean, vice-president; Gordon Hatt, secretary-treasurer; Roy Hurdle and Vern Palmer completing the executive. Vic. Palmer was elected as the reporter. Mr. Reynolds was named as honorary president. Many suggestions were brought forward for the executive to work on. After the business of the evening was over the members joined together in singing with Mr. Stout at the piano. Refreshments were served.

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## Two "V's" Unite In Financial Campaign

Contributions to Y.M.C.A. and Y.W.C.A. Represent Investment in Youth

The citizens of Victoria will have the opportunity of showing their appreciation of what has been described as one of the city's best investments, the services of the Y.M.C.A. and Y.W.C.A. during the combined financial campaign which opens next Monday, and continues until March 19.

The two institutions cannot possibly be self-supporting through the very nature of their work, large proportions of which are done among boys and girls, young men and young women, without thought of remuneration.

There has never been a time when the services of these two associations were more necessary, with the universal increase of leisure among young people, and a world which faces them on leaving school full of most numerous and more complex problems than any generation ever before had to face.

DIVIDENDS OF CHARACTER  
Supporters of the two "Y's" quite apart from their obligations to the community, to all parents and friends of young people, is also an investment in health, happiness and character.

Even with rigid economies and careful management, the two associations cannot cope with the big cuts in membership during the last year, and still continue to provide the extensive and varied programmes with which they fill the needs of the young people in the city.

The objective of the drive is to collect the sum of \$10,000 to cover the \$8,000 of accumulated current liabilities of the last three years for the Y.M.C.A. and the Y.W.C.A.—a 1933 deficit of \$1,500.

Many workers are giving their valuable time for this first combined financial campaign of the two "Y's" in the knowledge that Victoria branches of both organizations offer a service unequalled, both by its variety and range, in any city of similar size.

Lieutenant-Governor J. W. Ford, who has been in the city since his arrival as honorary chairman of the campaign, and Mayor Leeming will be general campaign chairman.

The leaders of the several divisions of canvassers will be as follows: E. G. Rowbottom—Warren Martin, W. T. Smith and Mrs. J. Baxter; chairman of listings will be J. G. Archib, assisted by Mrs. James Cameron; chairman of special names committee, F. E. Winslow.

The foregoing officers, assisted by Bob Simpson, president and general secretary of the Y.W.C.A. respectively, will act as a campaign executive. J. O. Cameron will be honorary treasurer.

The leaders of the formally declared open at a dinner in Spencer's dining-room at 6 o'clock on Monday evening next, at which B. C. Nicholas will be guest speaker.

Reports on the progress of the campaign will be handed in at special meetings of the executive on March 14, 16 and 19.

Plans Set For BIG CAMPAIGN

Canadian Concern to Handle Puget Sounders Advertising This Year

For the first time since the inauguration of the Puget Sounders and British Columbias Associated, publicity organization of which Victoria is a member, the advertising campaign of that organization will be handled by a Canadian firm, to-day.

The organization will spend \$25,000 in its campaign to attract visitors to the Pacific Northwest, "The Evergreen Playground" this year. Of this amount, Victoria will contribute \$1,500 and will be given equal space with the other contributory cities, Seattle, Tacoma, Bellingham and Vancouver.

It is hoped new ideas brought by the Canadian concern will bring additional benefits in tourist travel to the northwest.

Three new mediums, including the California Teachers' Magazine will be utilized this year. The majority of advertising space taken out will be confined to leading California dailies.

After the first day of advertising through the "Ask Mr. Foster" service, 30,000 Evergreen Playground booklets, outlining the attractions of this part of the continent.

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## Convention On Pension Cut

Victoria Veterans Leave To-night For Ottawa Convention

Victoria delegates to the Dominion convention of the Canadian Legion will leave this evening for Ottawa. The convention has been called by Major J. S. Hoper, Dominion president, to wage a strenuous campaign against cutting veterans' pensions.

Sir Percy Lake, a life member of the Legion, will be the guest speaker at the local delegation. He is the official representative of the Pro Patria branch of the Canadian Legion and will carry the proxy of the Tuberculous Veterans' branch here.

W. G. Stone, representing the Britannia branch; J. W. Tharratt, delegate for the Naval Veterans, and either J. H. Frank or C. A. Gill, as representatives of the Pro Patria branch, will leave to-night for Ottawa.

T. A. Barnard, formerly president of the British Columbia command, will represent branches in Nanaimo.

J. H. HUMPHREY VISITING HERE

Assistant to Grant Hall of C.P.R. to Spend Some Time in City

Adding to the number of Canadian Pacific Railway executives in Victoria to-day, J. H. Humphrey, assistant to Grant Hall, first vice-president, C.P.R., Montreal, is at the Empress Hotel with Mrs. Humphrey.

Mr. Humphrey arrived in the city yesterday afternoon from the east and plans to spend a couple of months here recuperating from illness. He recently made the cruise to the West Indies and came to Vancouver Island in the hope that the climate would help him in regaining his health.

When seen at the hotel this morning, Mr. Humphrey said that owing to his health he had been out of touch with conditions for some time, but there were evidences, particularly in the case of a general business revival, that things were looking up.

D. C. COLEMAN LEAVING

D. C. Coleman, vice-president of the C.P.R. in charge of western lines, who has been in the city with Mrs. Coleman since Saturday, plans to leave to-morrow for Vancouver en route to Winnipeg.

H. F. Mathews, general manager of C.P.R. hotels, will leave towards the latter part of the week for Montreal. C. F. Pratt, manager of the Royal Alexandra Hotel, Winnipeg, and Mrs. Pratt, are at the Empress to-day. The holiday season is on for C.P.R. hotel managers and Mr. Pratt is anticipating an enjoyable vacation in Victoria.

Visitor Dies On Holiday Here

Taken ill while on a holiday here with his daughter, Dr. Theodore Parker Simpson of Beaver Falls, Pa., died after a brief illness in St. Joseph's Hospital on Sunday evening. The remains were forwarded to-day to Beaver Falls for interment.

Dr. Simpson was born in Rochester, Minn., seventy-eight years ago and besides his daughter, Miss Ella Simpson, who was married to Dr. Simpson, he has one son in Beaver Falls.

Word Sought Of Missing Brother

Without word from his brother for twelve years, Captain and Mrs. Aubrey Allen, Aruba, Dutch East Indies, have written to the Victoria Chamber of Commerce an effort to locate their missing brother.

Mr. Fraser was born in Chicago and went with his parents to Calgary at the age of fifteen. Later he became chief clerk of the Palmer Hotel, Calgary, and was for a time assistant manager of the Banff Springs Hotel.

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GEORGE PAULIN  
DR. ALLAN W. FRASER  
W. H. DAVIES  
CYRIL NORMAN  
MISS MOLLIE TURNER

George Paulin, of the Royal Mail Life office staff, to-day has a birthday. A captain in the Fifth Brigade, C.G.A., he served with the artillery during the war. He manages the Fifth's senior rugby team.

Dr. Allan W. Fraser, also a captain in the Fifth Brigade, as medical officer, to-day passes another milestone in his life. He is one of the city's leading physicians and surgeons.

W. H. Davies, 610 Coventry Street, who to-day celebrates his birthday, was born in Durham, England. He left his native city for Ukiah, California, thirty years ago, and remained there five years. He came to Victoria in 1909, and has been a resident of the city since as a prominent figure in sport circles and a public-spirited citizen who has worked energetically for many interests for the welfare of Victoria.

Cyril Norman, assistant accountant in the city treasury department, to-day celebrates his birthday. He resides at 1636 Davis Street.

Miss Mollie Turner is a native daughter and lives with her parents at 911 Richmond Avenue. Miss Turner was educated at South and Victoria High Schools. She is employed by David Spencer Limited.

Young People's Church Societies

FIRST UNITED

The Young People's Society of First United Church held its regular weekly service on Monday evening, with the president, Howard English, in the chair. Dr. W. G. Wilson gave a descriptive talk on his recent visit to San Diego, "The Naval Base of the Pacific Coast."

George Warren Jr. entertained the society with moving pictures depicting the beauties of Victoria, including the "Burrard Bridge," the "Gastown," and the "Vancouver Island." Mr. Warren also showed pictures of trout fishing at Qualicum Beach and Lake Malibu and scenes in Jasper Park. The devotional period was in charge of Miss P. Smethurst, who spoke of the life work of David Livingstone and the example he left for young people.

Misses Grace West and Gwen Williamson assisted Miss Smethurst in the service. Piano solos, rendered by Miss Catherine Craig were much enjoyed. Fred Wormald, who represented the society in the recent oratorical contest, was commended for his splendid showing in the contest. Advance announcement was made of the Easter concert to be held by the society in the church auditorium on March 26. An excellent musical programme has been arranged. The annual St. Patrick's social of the society will be held next week, when several articles of interest and amusing features will be introduced.

PRESBYTERIAN Y.P.A.

The regular monthly meeting of the executive of the Presbyterian Y.P.A. was held Friday evening in St. Andrew's Church with Miss Rita Rogers, president, in the chair. Tentative plans were made to hold a concert and rally of Presbyterian Y.P. societies in the George Presbyterian Church on March 22 with the object of forming a Y.P. Society in that church. Members of the association will be gratified to know that Neil Macdonald, who has been appointed convener of Young Peoples' work by the Presbytery. Amendments to the constitution and abstaining regulations were proposed and adopted. The debate between St. Andrew's Y.P.S. and the Chinese Presbyterian Y.P.S. is scheduled to take place this month. Owing to the illness of one of the debaters a definite date has not been set.

ST. MICHAEL'S A.Y.P.A.

A regular meeting of St. Michael's A.Y.P.A. was held on Saturday last, Rev. W. G. Wilson, vice-president, in the chair. The meeting was held in the church hall on Wednesday, March 11, by Rev. John Antle, of the Columbian Mission. A collection is to be taken in aid of the mission's refreshments will be served by the A.Y.P.A. A letter was read from the Colwood A.Y.P.A., inviting St. Michael's branch to Colwood on March 16. A letter from C. L. Harrison was read, in which he consented to give a lantern lecture on March 20. The meeting voted a donation toward the church furnace fund. All members were urged to remember the rally at the Memorial Hall on Tuesday, March 6, in honor of the new B.C. president. An interesting address on "Psychology," Refreshments were served by Miss Dora Young and Miss Ellen Pettit.

DIES IN SOUTH

Vancouver, March 6 (Canadian Press).—Word has been received here by Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Fraser of the death in Santa Barbara, Cal. of their son, Charles R. Fraser, thirty-eight, hotel manager in that city.

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CHOR PRESENTS SCHUBERT WORK

Fine Programme at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church Yesterday Evening

For many years the choir of St. Andrew's Church has been to the fore in preparing excellent fare for the music lovers of the city, and yesterday evening, commencing a series of programmes, it presented a most interesting and well-bal



# North Shore to Play Here Saturday In Intercity Football

## Strong Victoria Eleven Selected; DeCosta Captain

### CLEVER PLAYER

Veteran Goalie Will Lead Victoria United in Match at Athletic Park

### Complete Local Squad Announced



Photo by Savannah.

When players in the local Coast Football League miss penalty shots, as they often do, the comment heard among the fans on the sidelines is that the men who take these shots should never fail to score. And yet, in reading a telegraph account of the Scottish cup match last Saturday between Celtic and St. Mirren, which was won by the latter 2 to 0, we notice where the two clubs missed three penalties. Celtic failing to score on two attempts through McGonagle and Wilson and the Saints passing up a chance for what is considered an easy goal through Knox. The account of the match did not say whether or not the players missed the goal with their shots or if the goalkeepers blocked the drives. That part we are not interested in. The main point for argument is that they failed to score goals. When players of two Scottish first division teams fail to score from three penalties in a single match, there is some excuse for our local men passing up these shots.

However, it is only fair to point out that players on English and Scottish teams shooting penalties are called upon to score against goalkeepers of the highest calibre. These chaps between the sticks know their business and if it is humanly possible to stop a drive it will be blocked. But, then again, the odds are all against the goalie, since the adoption of the rule that prohibits a goalie to move around while the player is in the act of driving the ball towards the net.

Much discussion also takes place among local followers of the round ball game on just how a penalty shot should be kicked. We will not attempt to settle this argument but will go so far as to name two former local players who scored penalties with great proficiency and yet adopted different tactics. Archie Muir, in his heyday one of the finest footballers to ever step onto a local pitch, always shot a spot kick with the side of his boot and usually stood right behind the ball, never taking advantage of a short run. And during his career Archie could drop a number of penalties or penalties on one hand, while an adding machine would be necessary to compile the number he put between the sticks. Johnny Cummings, sweet centre forward in the days when he played with the Mets and other local clubs, scored penalties by merely kicking the ball back of the net with the force of his drive. Any goalie who ever got in front of one of Johnny's shots would have been carried into the net by his force. And Cummings missed few penalties. Just which method is the correct one we will not say. But both were effective.

Fate, that has scored so often against Jole Ray, won another race from the cheery little fellow the other night when Jole, competing in a roller-skating marathon, slipped and went sprawling, and was kicked into unconsciousness by a skater coming swiftly from behind.

Twenty years ago, ambitious, confident young Jole Ray cherished a dream of Olympic fame. Working in a Chicago print shop, he heard where the stories from Stockholm, Sweden, were being collected in 1922, but he was not until fourteen years ago that he had his chance.

Hard luck, which aimed at Antwerp, where he missed an ankle on a rocky training field. . . . He tried again four years later, and on the way to France he came down with tonsillitis. . . . He was beaten before he started. . . . Then he challenged Nurn in the mile. . . . The Finn refused to run against him, so Jole ran alone and missed the track world by tying Nurn's mark of 4:12.

In the 1928 Olympics at Amsterdam, Jole was leading the field at the last centimetre, but he twisted some leg muscles and collapsed fifth, suffering excruciating agony.

Nothing daunted this man. . . . He entered the Boston marathon, and finished third, in 1929, running courage alone. . . . Doctors had to cut the shoes from feet bruised cruelly.

He ran against a horse in Philadelphia and beat the horse. . . . He would try anything, and all ways was sure of his ability to beat any other man in the world who wanted to try it. . . . And that went whether Jole knew anything about it or not.

## SPENCERS WILL MEET SAILORS

Important Mid-week Soccer Match Billed To-morrow; Garrison to Play Liberals

Holding on to top berth in the Wednesday Football League standing by a lone point over the Garrison, Spencers, smooth-working soccer eleven will face the Navy at Heywood Avenue to-morrow afternoon in the feature game of the mid-week programme. Garrison will meet the James Bay Liberals at Beacon Hill, upper ground, while the Macabees and the Hudson's Bay will clash at Beacon Hill, lower ground. All matches will start at 2:15 o'clock.

Showing improvement in recent games, Spencers are expected to give the Diamond S boys a stiff battle at Heywood Avenue. Spencers will be out with their strongest line-up as they must win to stay in the running for the Penderby Cup.

Garrison will be favored to defeat the James Bay Liberals at Beacon Hill. Victory for the Tommies and the defeat of Spencers by the Navy will practically give the Work Point lads the championship.

Macabees, who last week held Spencers to a 2 to 2 draw, will be out to grab off a couple of points at the expense of the Hudson's Bay eleven, at Beacon Hill, lower ground. The Macabees' lineup includes: Woodley, Hill, W. Graves, Roberts, T. Graves, Speller, Newell, Richards, Woolcock and Roberts.

James Bay Liberals—Bourne, Eastwood, Bedford, McBride, Crawford, McBride, Rice, Obee, Thame, Keiman, Sadler, Rose and Sadler.

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## WILL FIGHT SPORTS TAX

B.C. Branch of Amateur Athletic Union Revives Amusement Tax Question

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Anxious to register a win, the local management has selected a strong eleven to oppose the smart North Shore club in Saturday's battle. The team, without exception, is the same as that which held the New Westminster Royals, league leaders, to a draw a few weeks ago.

In his regular position between the sticks will be the veteran Louis DeCosta, peer of local net custodians, and captain of the team, Freddie Gibbons, Saanich Thistles. Fredie Gibbons, Saanich Thistles, has been named for pickup duty. A pair of sturdy defenders, with many years experience in the round ball game, they should prove a strong last line of defence.

With the brilliant Roy Barnes at centre half, the intermediate ranks will be well balanced. Tommy Smith, clever halfback, who captained the last intercity eleven, will function at left half, while Ronnie Williams, bounding Saanich Thistles' player, will flank Barnes on the other wing.

Holding down the pivot position in the firing line is the veteran John Watt sharpshooting centre forward of Esquimalt eleven. Scotty Stewart, smart forward, and Jimmy Bennett, clever Victoria West front liner, will play inside left. Noel Morgan, first-class Saanich Thistles winger, will patrol the left wing, while on the opposite line will be the youth-ful and speedy Harry Youson, Victoria West player.

With a front rank of stars such as these named above, Victoria United should prove capable of giving their smart opponents from North Shore plenty of trouble.

In uniform and ready to step into the fray at any minute will be Sam Leeson, fullback of the Saanich Thistles, Jack McEwen, clever Victoria City halfback, and Mike Wainwright, tricky Esquimalt front line ace.

Between the sticks for the visitors, regular defender, will start at fullback, but is not known if Harrison, injured a few weeks ago, will be his mate on the defence.

The halfback line will be composed of Harry Hunter and Thom, while Henderson, Russell, Dempsey, Spencer and Ashton are expected to start on the forward line. McNeen and McSweeney will complete the visitors' playing lineup.

The standing of the clubs in the Intercity League up to including last Saturday's games, follows:

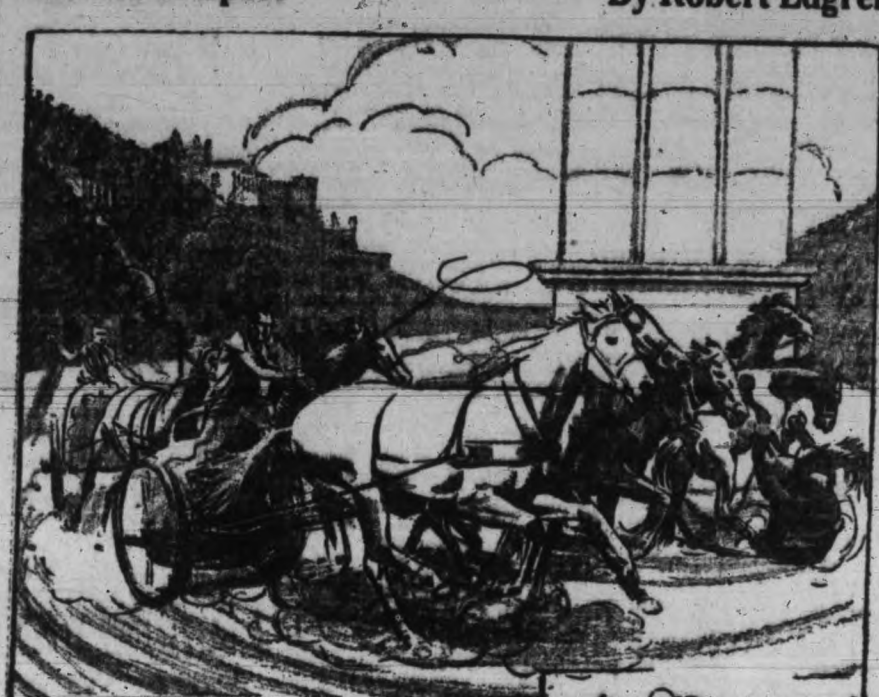
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Trill, B.C. March 6.—Kimberley Dynamiters to-day had a two-game lead in their three-out-of-five series with Vancouver Associated Quakers for the British Columbia amateur hockey title as a result of yesterday evening's 2 to 1 win over the coast squad. They won the first game Saturday, 4 to 0.

Art Mackie, Kimberley winger, put his team ahead seconds after the opening face off. Norm McQuade knotted the count with less than a minute and a half to go in the second period. Douglas Reiver scored the winning goal early in the final session. Eric Hornquist was unbeatable in the Kimberley goal as Quakers tried to even the count.

A special meeting of the James Bay Liberals football club will be held tonight at 8:30 Oswego Street. All present and former players of the club are asked to attend, as important business will be discussed.

## Miracles of Sport



THE BIGGEST GATE ATTRACTION IN ANCIENT ROME WAS NOT THE GLADIATORS IN THE COLOSSEUM; IT WAS THE CHARIOT RACES IN THE CIRCUS MAXIMUS. CAPACITY: CIRCUS MAXIMUS 250,000 COLOSSEUM 60,000

FOOTBALL'S RECORD CROWD 134,000 AT GLASGOW FOR SCOTLAND-ENGLAND MATCH (WON BY SCOTLAND 2-1)

IN MODERN TIMES THE DERBY IN ENGLAND DRAWS OVER 500,000 AND BOXING'S RECORD ATTENDANCE IS 120,757 -- Dempsey vs. Tunney, Philadelphia 1926

With the end of the regular league season drawing close players in the first division of the Victoria Coast Football League are engaging in a battle royal to finish on top of the scoring averages. To-day's list shows four players—E. Borge, Thistles; H. Youson, Victoria West; and Scotty Stewart and John Watt, both of Esquimalt—in a tie for second place, each with twenty-four points. The four are just four points back of Scotty Robinson, Victoria West, leader of the tables. Robinson has been out of the game for several weeks, owing to an injured ankle.

It has been decided to compile the averages only on the remaining league fixtures. Goals or assists scored in cup matches will not be figured in the averages.

Complete averages follow:

	G.	A.	Pts.
S. Robinson (Victoria West)	11	3	26
E. Borge (Saanich Thistles)	11	3	24
H. Youson (Victoria West)	8	4	24
A. Stewart (Esquimalt)	10	2	24
J. Watt (Esquimalt)	10	2	24
N. Morgan (Victoria Thistles)	8	2	20
T. Musgrave (Victoria West)	7	2	18
E. Bennett (Victoria West)	8	1	18
R. Barnes (Saanich Thistles)	8	1	18
M. Hall (Saanich Thistles)	9	1	16
F. Price (Saanich Thistles)	4	2	12
M. Wainwright (Esquimalt)	5	1	12
R. Hollings (Victoria City)	5	1	12
N. Morgan (Victoria Thistles)	2	3	10
Sage (Victoria City)	3	2	10
F. Gibbons (Saanich Thistles)	3	2	10
M. McMillan (Victoria City)	3	2	10
B. Barswell (Esquimalt)	3	1	8
G. Gibson (Victoria City)	3	1	8
D. Glancy (Saanich Thistles)	4	0	8
B. Davidson (Victoria City)	4	0	8
T. Peers (Victoria West)	1	0	2
Bobby Burns (Saanich Thistles)	1	0	2
J. McEay (Victoria City)	1	0	2
Barney Burns (Saanich Thistles)	1	0	2
L. Gibbons (Saanich Thistles)	1	0	2
Hess (Victoria City)	1	0	2
D. Miller (Esquimalt)	2	0	4
J. Viggers (Victoria City)	1	1	4
M. Magee (Victoria City)	2	0	4
Hall (Esquimalt)	1	1	4
Begg (Victoria West)	1	0	2
E. Viggers (Saanich Thistles)	1	0	2
J. Worswick (Esquimalt)	1	0	2
McLean (Esquimalt)	0	1	2
McLean (Esquimalt)	0	1	2
Armitage (Saanich Thistles)	0	1	2
R. Sherst (Victoria West)	0	1	2
Storey (Victoria West)	0	1	2
A. Wright (Victoria West)	0	1	2
L. Stoffer (Saanich Thistles)	1	0	2
J. Murray (Victoria City)	1	0	2
R. Stewart (Esquimalt)	0	1	2

Two points awarded for a goal and two for an assist.

GOALKEEPERS' AVERAGES

	G.P.	G.A.
W. Rowe (Saanich Thistles)	17	23
L. DeCosta (Esquimalt)	14	20
A. Hood (Victoria West)	11	20
G. Chalmers (Victoria City)	9	19
Robertson (Victoria City)	1	3
Stewart (Esquimalt)	1	3
Harwarden (Victoria West)	3	4
Lorndell (Victoria West)	1	2
Griffiths (Victoria West)	2	7
G. Farquhar (Victoria City)	7	18
Gibbons (Victoria West)	4	18

G.P.—Games Played.

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Gains lost the British Empire heavyweight crown last month to Len Harvey, the British man-of-all-weights.

## By Robert Edgren Dan Moses Senior Coach at J.B.A.A.

Elected to Succeed Late Dan O'Sullivan as Developer of Victoria's Oarsmen; Rex Askey Named Club Captain; Season's Plans Made

### LEADING JOCKEY



Booting those nags home with the speed of an icy blast from the north, Mack Winters, above, is leading the jockeys at Agua Caliente this year. Fate, favoring seasons, has given Winters a lead over a rival Caliente rider named Summers.

## DUNCAN WILL MEET NEWSIES

Cage Teams to Meet in Second Play-off Game This Evening

Duncan Firemen, smooth-working up-Island cage team, will make their season's debut at the Victoria High School gym this evening, when they step on the floor to meet the Colonist in the final game of the home and home series for the southern section hoop championship. It will be the feature attraction of a three-game programme.

Play for the winner cup will open this evening with Young Blue Ribbons battling the K. of P. in the opening fixture at 7:30 o'clock, and the Tillamook meeting Lake Hill and B men in the second game. Two good matches are expected. The series is a knockout competition open to teams who failed to make the Vancouver Island playoffs.

The fire-fighters from Duncan will take an eight point lead into the second game with the Newsies, which they gained in the first game played at the up-Island centre. However, the Colonist feel confident of wiping out this lead and reaching the next round of the Vancouver Island championships.

Beavers, intermediate A cagers, will oppose Cumberland Crescents in the first game of the Island honours and the right to enter the British Columbia playoffs.

The opening fixture on to-morrow evening is undecided, in the event of the Colonist winning the two-game series from Duncan Firemen, the Newsies will appear against them in the initial fixture of the Island finals. Failing this, a preliminary game will be arranged.

## ICE LEAGUE FINALS SET

Northwestern League Playoffs Get Under Way at Vancouver Monday Night

Vancouver, March 6.—First game of the playoff series for the championship of the Northwestern Professional Hockey League will be played here Monday night, Guy Patrick, manager of the Lions, Vancouver's entry in the circuit, announced here today.

The announcement was made after a conference with Hugh Caldwell, owner of the Seattle Club, and Dick Keats, guiding genius of the Edmonton Eskimos.

Games will be played on Monday Wednesday and Friday nights until the title is decided with the game alternating, here one night and at Seattle the next. It is not known which team will get the bye.

The second and third teams play off first in a two-out-of-three series with the finals a three-out-of-five affair.

## LAIRD WATT IS DEFEATED

Canadian Tennis Star and Wilmer Allison Lose in Bermuda Tennis Final

Hamilton, Bermuda, March 6.—United States tennis stars completed a clean sweep of the Bermuda championships yesterday. Lester Stoten, Los Angeles, who won the men's singles title Saturday, paired with his Atlantic partner, Bryan Grant, to win the doubles crown after a brilliant five set match with Wilmer Allison, Austin, Texas, and Laird Watt, Montreal, 4-6, 6-4, 6-2, 2-6, 7-5.

Allison got some measure of consolation, however, as he and Florence Lezoutier, Westbury, N.Y., defeated Stoten and Jane Sharp, Pasadena, 4-6, 6-4, 6-4, in the mixed doubles final.

The women's doubles championship went to Miss Sharp and Grace Surber, New York, who defeated Miss Lezoutier and Mrs. Penelope Anderson McBride, New York and Richmond, in straight sets, 6-4, 6-4.

## Ernie Triplett Gets Final Flag

Imperial, Cal., March 6.—The last checkered flag has dropped for Ernie Triplett, the "blonde terror" of the race tracks.

Entered in a special event at the Imperial mid-way fair Sunday, Triplett was injured fatally in a pile-up of racing cars which brought death to two other men.

George "Swede" Smith, thirty-five-year-old veteran of Portland, Ore., died as his racer crashed into Jimmy Wilkeson's stalled car on a turn.

"Hop" Happerly, Hollywood mechanic, ran across the track to extricate him from the wreckage and was killed by Triplett's speeding machine.

Los Angeles, March 6.—Major Goodsell, former crew coach at the University of California, filed suit for \$5,000 in Superior Court here yesterday, against the Associated Students of the university, asserting they violated their contract with him.

Goodsell started he was employed at a salary of \$5,000 a year as coach, last September 15, and that on November 23 the school abandoned rowing as a sport. He asked \$945 for services as coach, and \$4,052 he claims is still due him under the contract.

## Hockey Standings

NATIONAL HOCKEY LEAGUE

	W.	L.	D.	P.	P.
Toronto	24	18	2	157	97
Maroons	24	19	1	150	113
Candians	19	16	6	87	82
N.Y. Americans	14	12	10	88	102
Ottawa	11	26	3	100	120

United States League

	W.	L.	D.	P.	P.
Detroit	21	12	10	103	97
N.Y. Rangers	20	15	11	106	92
Chicago	19	11	11	79	68
Boston	14	25	5	90	120

Northwest League

	W.	L.	D.	P.	P.
Edmonton	17	12	4	94	90
Calgary	16	11	4	107	67
Vancouver	14	12	1	88	80
Seattle	14	16	2	81	93
Portland	11	20	2	80	118

## Larry Gains Puts German Boxer Away

Leicester, England, March 6.—Larry Gains, Toronto negro boxing

master, hit the comeback trail yesterday evening by knocking out the German heavyweight, Ernest Guirring, in the seventh round of their twelve-round bout.

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# Conacher Conceded Ice Scoring Title

Right Winger of Toronto Maple Leafs Sets Pace in National Hockey League With Fifty Points; Joe Primeau Second, Nine Points Behind

Montreal, March 6.—Any doubt as to who would lead the National Hockey League scores this season, just about disappeared during the week-end, when Charlie Conacher scored three goals and an assist and boosted his leadership over the field to a clear nine points.

The Toronto Maple Leafs' right winger is conceded scoring leadership both in points and in actual goals. With the end of the season in sight, none seemed to have an outside chance of matching his thirty-one goals, while his total points, fifty, were nine more than his centre-man, Joe Primeau, second in the whole league with 41-27-41.

**BARRY SECOND**  
Statistics, issued yesterday evening by President Frank Calder, showed that Charlie Conacher, of the Toronto Maple Leafs, was second in the league in goals scored, with twenty-two. An oddity in the list was that Detroit Red Wings, leader in the United States section, had not placed a man in the first flight of that division. Their success, however, is reflected in a group of three of their men, Aurie, Coffey, Welland and Johnny Sorrell, having thirty, thirty and twenty-nine points, respectively.

The penalty leadership remained unchanged. Red Horner's 121 minutes topping the pack, while Lionel Conacher is second with sixty-nine.

Scoring leaders follow:

Canadian Section	G.	A.	P.	Min.
Conacher, Toronto	22	27	41	6
Primeau, Toronto	18	27	38	6
Jackson, Toronto	15	17	32	6
Julien, Canadiens	15	17	32	6
Smith, Montreal	13	15	28	40
Clancy, Toronto	11	17	28	36
E. Hoche, Ottawa	11	17	28	36
Norwood, Montreal	10	15	25	35
McNeill, Americans	10	15	25	35
Robinson, Montreal	10	15	25	35
E. Burke, Americans	10	15	25	35
Shannon, Ottawa	10	15	25	35
Himes, Americans	8	14	24	8
Kaminsky, Ottawa	8	14	24	8
D. Hoche, Ottawa	7	13	20	30
Trotter, Montreal	7	13	20	30
Clayton, Canadiens	7	13	20	30
Thoms, Toronto	7	13	20	30
Ward, Montreal	7	13	20	30
Bilco, Montreal	7	13	20	30
Lacroix, Canadiens	7	13	20	30
Coston, Toronto	7	13	20	30
Blair, Toronto	7	13	20	30
Howe, Ottawa	7	13	20	30
H. Kirtz, Toronto	6	12	18	18
Voss, Ottawa	6	12	18	18
Klein, Americans	6	12	18	18
Finlan, Ottawa	6	12	18	18

United States Section	G.	A.	P.	Min.
Boucher, Rangers	10	15	25	6
Berry-Bassett, Rangers	10	15	25	6
Thompson, Rangers	10	15	25	6
Dillon, Rangers	10	15	25	6
Brewster, Rangers	10	15	25	6
F. Coor, Rangers	10	15	25	6
Archie, Rangers	10	15	25	6
Brown, Rangers	10	15	25	6
Geisler, Chicago	10	15	25	6
E. J. Kelly, Chicago	10	15	25	6
W. Coor, Rangers	10	15	25	6
Marshall, Rangers	10	15	25	6
Lynn, Rangers	10	15	25	6
E. Bennett, Rangers	10	15	25	6
O'Brien, Rangers	10	15	25	6
O'Connor, Rangers	10	15	25	6
Connelley, Rangers	10	15	25	6
K. Smith, Rangers	10	15	25	6
Clayton, Rangers	10	15	25	6
Blair, Rangers	10	15	25	6
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K. Smith, Rangers	10	15	25	6
Clayton, Rangers	10	15	25	6
Blair, Rangers	10	15	25	6
Howe, Rangers	10	15	25	6

## Carpet Play Is Under Way

Keen Competition Marks Opening Night of Annual Tournament at Willows

With Alderman James Adam rolling the first wood, play in the annual Victoria and district carpet bowling tournament got under way yesterday evening at the Willows. The tournament will continue all week.

Rolling in the municipal matches, Victoria and district registered wins over Oak Bay and Saanich by scores of 18 to 17, and 19 to 18. In the women's doubles competition there were a number of close games. Results of yesterday evening's play follow:

**Municipal Matches**

Victoria 19, Saanich 18.

Victoria 18, Oak Bay 17.

**Women's Doubles**

Misses I. and E. Somers 24, Mrs. Cruickshank and Mrs. Bridges 9.

Mrs. Macdonald and Mrs. A. McMillan 22, Mrs. Edwards and Mrs. Reid 19.

Mrs. Acreman and Mrs. Stewart 19, Mrs. Kirchin and Mrs. McKenzie 18.

**TO-NIGHT'S DRAW**

Kiwanis Cup Finals

8:00—Men: Equivalents vs. winners of Willows Oaks and Lake Hill. Willows.

8:00—Women: A.O.F. Marionettes vs. Willows Rose.

Men's Open Doubles

8:00—F. Thackray and F. Bosom vs. Townsend and McKenzie; Lutz and Mills vs. C. Cruickshank and T. Bridges; W. Pearson and V. Hemming vs. Leiper and Fletcher.

Men's Singles

8:00—J. Leiper vs. W. B. Colvin; J. McMartin vs. L. W. Cookerill; W. Cull vs. T. Alexander.

**TO-MORROW'S DRAW**

Byng Shield

Play-off—Lak. Hill Cougars vs. Willows Shamrocks.

Men's Doubles

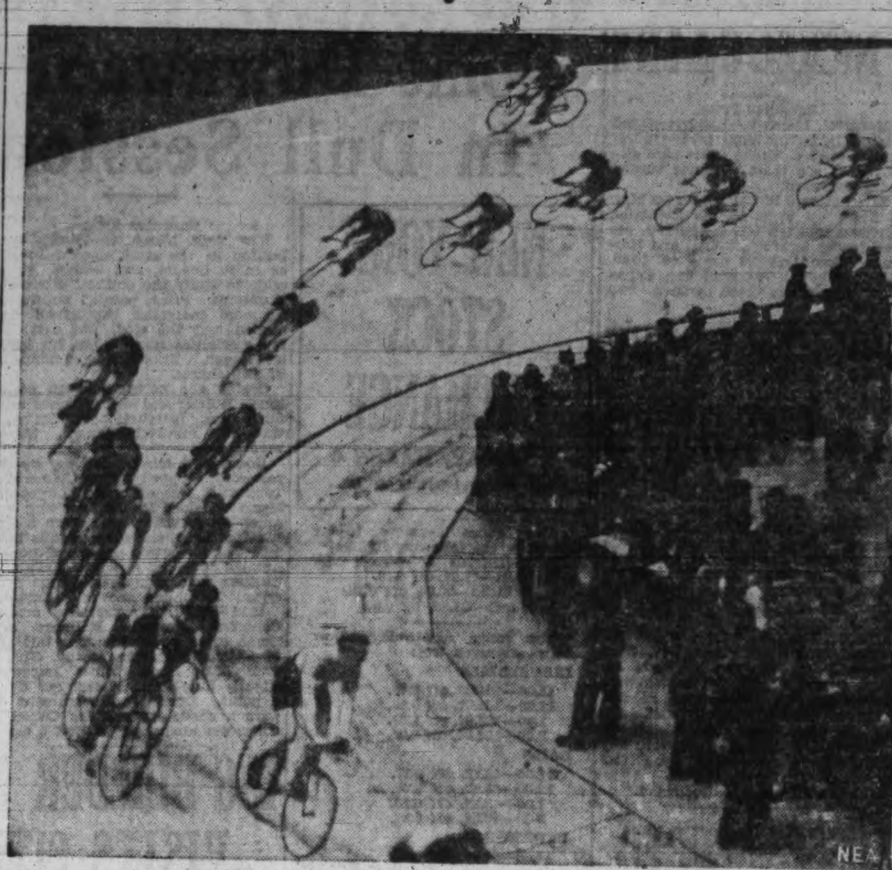
8:00—T. Alexander and R. Williams vs. A. McMillan and W. Edwards; R. Woodie and A. McIntyre vs. C. Lambie and C. Thompson; D. McKilloh and D. Drummond vs. J. Leiper and J. Pomeroy.

A. Lambie and H. Thompson vs. H. Reid and W. Davey.

Men's Singles

8:00—J. Pomeroy vs. G. Saunders.

## Bike Riders on Jaunt to Nowhere



The striking photo above taken from an unusual angle shows part of the field in the six-day bike race at Madison Square Garden, New York, last week. The long grind around the huge pine saucer was won by Brocard and Gulmbretiere, European team. Torchy Peden, Victoria, and his partner, Georgetti, finished in fifth place, but led the entire field in sprint points.

## Touring English Eleven in Draw

Bombay, India, March 6.—The three-day cricket match between the touring English team and an Indian eleven played in aid of the earthquake fund resulted in a draw to-day.

The scores were: M.C.C. 224 and 215 (Mitchell 91, Bakewell 56, Amar Singh, five for 100); Indian eleven 238 and 113 for four (Merchant 89 not out, Nichols four for 38).

## U.S. HOCKEY TO GET TEST

Advances Made By Game in Country Will Be Seen in Championship Play Soon

By George Maguire, Canadian Press Staff Writer

New York, March 6.—Just how far amateur hockey has progressed during recent years in the United States will be clearly pictured here on and around March 23. On that date the final eliminations will start for the U.S. Amateur Athletic Union championships and all Canadians will be out.

The ice-hockey championship committee of the A.A.U. yesterday evening confirmed reports Canadian puckers will not be allowed to compete in the play-downs. The officials declared they had agreed with the Canadian Amateur Hockey Association to produce a championship team according to Olympic standards which automatically bars Canadians.

The team that wins the U.S. title will qualify to meet the Allan Cup winners of the Dominion in a two-out-of-three-game series for the North American trophy in Ottawa, Toronto or Montreal, in April.

**TEAMS HARD HIT**  
The ruling strikes particularly hard at Atlantic City Sea-Gulls and the Hershey, Pa., Bears. Both these clubs have imported Canadian stars with great regularity during the last few seasons. The Gulls have won the U.S. championship two years straight.

The United States A.A.U. officials are enthusiastic over the chance of putting an all-star American squad against the Allan Cup champions and Frank Greenleaf, president of the C.A.H.A., said he believed the series will do much to cement the friendly relations between the two countries.

Other comments: Frank Fredrickson, former Winnipeg star, now coaching Princeton's college puckmen—"It's a great idea. I think it will go off big. The next step is an international collegiate series."

Dwan "Nipper" Wilson, coach Port Colborne, Ont., sailors—"If it is handled right there is no reason why it should not become one of hockey's classics."

## SENSATIONAL GOLF PLAYED

Horton Smith and Paul Runyan Play Brilliantly in Miami Four-ball Tourney

Miami, Fla., March 6.—Topping off the hottest blast of golf in the nine-year history of this colorful tournament, sensational Paul Runyan, White Plains, N.Y., and sharpshooting Horton Smith, Chicago, moved closer toward a second successive triumph in the international four-ball championship yesterday by trouncing Al Watrous and Morris Dutra, the Detroit pair, 6 and 5.

The youthful defending champions breezed home after blistering the Miami Country Club course with a morning round best ball of 62, then under par which clipped two strokes from the former tournament record. Watrous and Dutra were nine under par themselves for the thirty-one holes the match lasted, but their best efforts paled by comparison with the pace of the "firecracker twins" who were fifteen under par and sixteen strokes under even fours when they settled the match on the thirty-first green.

**EAGLE THREES**

Runyan, the reigning sensation of professional golf, had an individual card of 66, six under par, in the morning, and was three under par in the afternoon, with eagle threes, with Runyan matching Watrous and Dutra in succession with spectacular shots.

Scarcely less spectacular were Deane Moore Shute, Philadelphia, the holder of the British open championship, who combined with Al Espinosa, Toronto, Ontario, to eliminate the "needed" entry of Willie Macfarlane, Tuskahoe, N.Y., and Johnny Revolta, Milwaukee, 4 and 3, with an amazing finish.

Favorites now to win the tournament again, the Smith-Runyan combination met Walter Hagen, Detroit, and Tom Ostry, Albany, N.Y., in today's thirty-six-hole semi-final, while the Shute-Espinosa team opposed the veteran Brooklyn pair, Wally Cox and Bill Melhorn.

**D. Drummond vs. W. Pearson.**

Mrs. T. Bridges vs. Mrs. Reid; Mrs. A. McMillan vs. Mrs. J. McMillan.

Novice Singles

T. Dicks vs. G. Service; L. Thomas vs. Savidant.

## "JO-JO" GRABOWSKI TO INJECT SOME "COLOR" INTO NATIONAL HOCKEY

One-eyed Star From Oshawa, Ont., Is Signed By Chicago Black Hawks; Performs Hand Springs After Scoring Goal and Changes Skates After Each Period; Has Own Personal Manager

By William Weeks, Associated Press Sports Writer

Chicago, March 6.—Eddie Shore, Ching Johnson and other "color" men of the National Hockey League, move over and make room for Joseph Stanley Grabowski, one-eyed star from Oshawa, Ont., who is a one-eyed youngster from Oshawa, Ont., who turns hand springs on the ice every time he scores a goal, changes skates after every period and takes photographs. A sort of King of the Ring, he is a one-eyed youngster from Oshawa, Ont., who turns hand springs on the ice every time he scores a goal, changes skates after every period and takes photographs.

Grabowski, known to Colbat, Ont., and Oshawa as "Jo-Jo," has decided to make his professional bow with the Chicago Black Hawks. He did not decide to leave Oshawa, however, without asserting his individuality. He was appointed some time ago by the Chicago Black Hawks, but refused to be bothered until his team, the Oshawa Majors, had finished their schedule in the Ontario Hockey Association. The club was eliminated from

championship consideration last Friday, in spite of some hot shooting by Jo-Jo.

**WANTED OWN COACH**

He was willing to come to Chicago then, but only if the Black Hawks agreed to bring his personal coach and manager, Joe Spring, a famous Canadian athlete of other days, along too. The Hawks agree and Jo-Jo and his manager started.

They were to have arrived yesterday in time for Grabowski to demonstrate his stuff before Manager Tom Gorman. However, Jo-Jo, his manager and chances of staves, were detained at Port Huron, Mich., by U.S. immigration officials, pending approval of his bond, then difficulty was expected to be straightened out in time to permit Grabowski to practice with the Hawks to-day.

Grabowski plays either as forward or defense, and according to Eddie Gerard, manager of the Montreal Maroons, looks good enough to stick. He is a hard skater and tough enough to get along. If he is that good, he will be shoved into action Thursday night against the Detroit Red Wings.

He was discovered by Spring last year, playing in the Silver Country League in Oshawa, where he has been a sensation. He lost an eye in a mine explosion at Cobalt several years ago.

## REDPATH NETS WINNING GOAL

Scores in Last Two Minutes to Give Vancouver Lions Hockey Victory

AT OLYMPIC ALLEYS COMMERCIAL TENNIS LEAGUE

Hustler-Simmons 41, Stock 414, Butt 562, Elwood 464, low score 460, handicap 124. Total 2,324.

Sons of Canada—C. Hilton 622, W. Johnston 338, D. McDermid 269, R. Morrison 274, H. Bann 281, handicap 233. Total 2,781.

Sons of Canada won three.

Tillemus A.C.—Reg. Thompson 477, A. Kavan 428, J. Lee 407, Al. Park 456, J. Quinn 415, handicap 212. Total 2,715.

Modern Shute—C. Gorman 562, A. Spouse 427, P. Fadden 414, Williams 486, Pollard 445, handicap 354. Total 2,606.

Modern Shute won two.

Shell Oil—Hearn 370, Dance 406, Nicol 293, Patterson 284, Danerfield 294, handicap 287. Total 2,088.

Shute—O. Morris 410, A. Kent 407, A. Woodson 331, H. Farrell 248, A. McKiernan 303, handicap 294. Total 2,709.

Kent's won three.

National Motors—C. Heathfield 928, J. Waters 421, J. Todd 411, T. Waters 445, H. Hill 438, handicap 302. Total 2,591.

National Motors won three by default.

**C.P.R. FIFTEEN LEAGUE**

E. and N. Shute-McKenzie 563, Cullin 580, Zaccarelli 616, Walker 554, Deereaux 510, handicap 207. Total 2,848.

Empress—"A"—D. O'Grady 589, J. Kemp 584, C. Morris 584, P. Cadden 615, A. Whyte 643, handicap 374. Total 3,111.

Empress—"A" won three.

Empress—"B"—B. McDermid 418, A. Dykes 375, A. Knight 403, H. Hawley 302, J. McMillan 384, handicap 188. Total 2,477.

Empress—"F"—E. Dault 465, J. R. Arjvin 501, R. Booth 424, W. H. Johnson 534, C. M. Tickle 411, handicap 276. Total 2,482.

Empress won two.

Lawn Bowlers—C. O'Grady 655, A. H. Sholt 370, J. Palmer 403, A. T. Harnley 302, R. B. Dixon 370, H. Mayne 328, V. St. Lawrence 370, handicap 188. Total 2,477.

Telegraph—"A"—W. Stewart 528, W. Pre 646, S. H. Saunders 501, J. R. Burns 501, J. Hickey 470, handicap 301. Total 2,670.

Telegraph won three.

**AT ARCADE ALLEYS INTERSERVICE FIFTEEN LEAGUE**

Veterans of France—C. Rodway 615, C. Crawford 650, J. Maxwell 651, George Greene 520, F. Whitford 623. Total 2,598.

Britannia—F. Milburn 538, V. St. Lawrence 370, F. Phillips 249, D. Croston 370, J. Huxtable 371, D. Hurdle 438. Total 2,593.

Britannia won two.

Pro Patria—C. Kinney 580, E. Lee 587, W. Williams 487, D. Dunes 566, W. Morry 587. Total 2,580.

Naval Veterans—D. Clarke 655, A. Ruffell 567, E. Everett 426, A. Benn 608, C. Chislett 608. Total 2,523.

Naval Veterans won three.

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## Canadiens-Amerks In Crucial Games

Play-off Berth in N.H.L. at Stake in Battles To-night and Thursday Evening; Toronto Leafs Engage Boston; Rangers Play Ottawa

If past performances meant anything to New York Americans they might be expected to fold up now and let Montreal Canadiens have that National Hockey League play-off berth they have been battling about for weeks.

Beaten three times in four starts against the Habitués this season, Joe Simpson's team should realize the Montrealers rate an edge over them in the important two-game series they stage to-night and Thursday.

But to the outfit that has lived up to the "amazing" tag as long as America have, a team that specializes in upsets, those three defeats earlier in the season don't mean a thing. As confident as ever, the star-spangled New Yorkers figure they are a cinch to pick up four points in the two engagements and go into a tie with their rivals.

**TWO OTHER GAMES**

Besides the New York-Canadiens tilt, two other N.H.L. games are to be played to-night, but neither claims the interest of the Montreal affair. Toronto play Boston in a game that cannot affect either team and Ottawa Senators play Rangers in New York.

Montreal Maroons, only one point up on Canadiens and still fearful of an American rush that will put them out of the play-offs, don't get into action until Thursday, when they play Rangers in Montreal.

Besides their games against each other, Amerks and the Habitués both have other engagements this week that may mean a lot to them.

Saturday night Canadiens play Senators in Montreal and Americans take on Leafs in Toronto. Maroons get into action again Sunday at New York against Rangers.

## Bill Bonthron Is Collegiate Champ

New York, March 6.—Princeton's great runner, Bill Bonthron, far back in the pack for most of the distance, came with a rush in the final lap yesterday evening to win the intercollegiate indoor 1,500-meter title by two meters in a driving finish with Gene Venzke, Pennsylvania sophomore.

Bonthron turned on the heat in the final two laps to catch the Pennsylvania and break the tape in the unimpressive time of 3 minutes 57.4 seconds, 4.2-5 seconds behind the world record set by Glenn Cunningham, Kansas, in defeating the Princetonian in the United States championships February 24.

**Brouillard Puts On Rally to Win**

New Haven, Conn., March 6.—Lou Brouillard, Worcester, Mass., on the verge of a knockout in the second round, came back with a stirring attack, yesterday evening, to win a ten-round decision over Al Galner, negro light-heavyweight, New Haven. Brouillard weighed 166 pounds, Galner 172.

**CLICK HEAVIER**  
The unusual picture of the champion of the junior lightweight division entering the ring heavier than the titleholder in the next class above was presented. Klick weighed 135 pounds, with Ross coming in at 137½ pounds. Consequently, Ross's lightweight title was not at stake.

Ross risked his junior welterweight title, which is recognized as such in Illinois and California. Klick made a strong bid to win this synthetic crown, but fell just a trifle short.

**CITY REORGANIZE**

A special reorganization meeting of the Victoria City first and second division football teams will be held to-night at the Veterans of France, at 8 o'clock. Present players, and anyone interested, are asked to attend.

**WRESTLING**

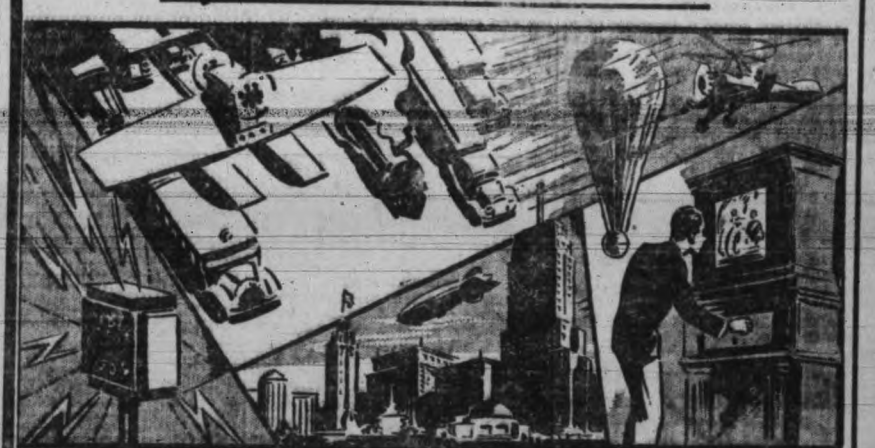
New York—Hans Kampfer, 218, Germany, threw Ed (Stranger) Lewis, 245, Los Angeles, 17-14.

Wilmington, Del.—Joe Savoldi, 200, Three Oaks, Mich., defeated Emil Dusek, 207, Omaha, two falls to one.

Camden, N.J.—Joe Banaski, Chicago, defeated Joe Montana, Camden (Montana disqualified).

St. Louis, Mo.—J. D. Jones, 199, St. Louis, threw Henry Graber, 210, Germany, 24-19.

## THE WONDERS OF MODERN TRANSPORT









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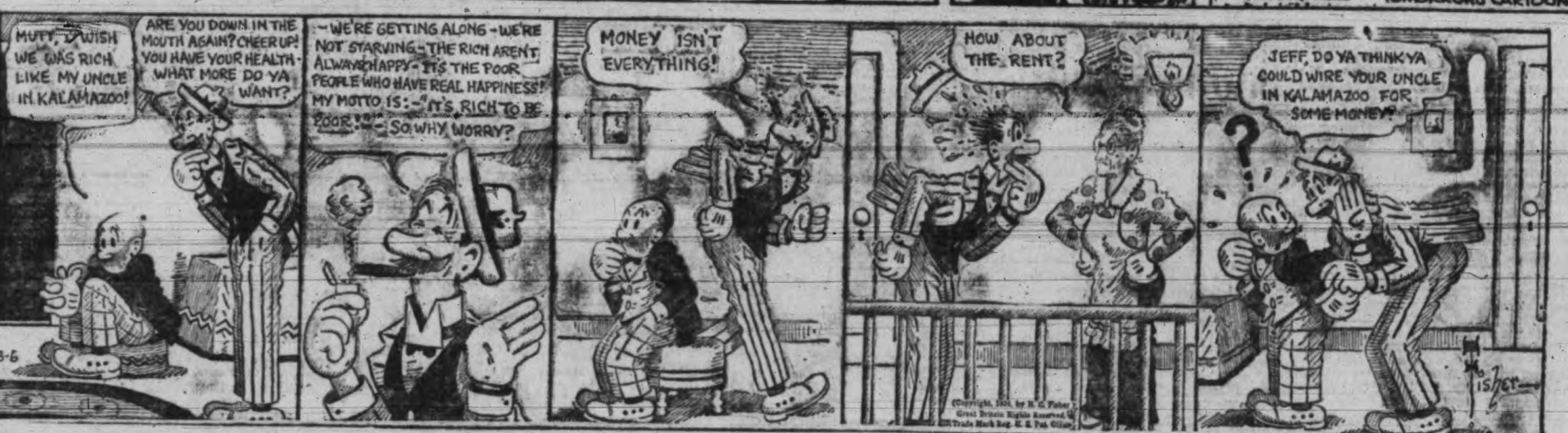
Bringing Up Father



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Mutt and Jeff



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Boots and Her Buddies



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## FOURTH DEGREE

A Mystery Novel

By K. S. DAIGER

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Within there was an official communication from the London police relative to an inquiry of Anderson's five days earlier.

His eyes skimmed over it and then he put it carefully in an inside pocket.

"Absolutely nothing," he said listlessly. "I hoped I might learn something."

Then his eyes brightened. "But there's one thing we mustn't overlook," he commented. "Mrs. Deane is an English woman. She wanted to get hold of this letter because she thought it concerned her and she forgot to figure that I couldn't possibly have gotten a letter from London as soon as this after Mrs. Paige's death."

"That means that she's got a record over there and was afraid we had it. If she did not have, she wouldn't care how many letters I received from Scotland Yard. We'll shoot this finger print over there to them and I'll cable them meantime to look her up. Probably she's changed her name but this finger print will do the trick if they have it on record."

CHAPTER XXII  
"I'm afraid that I shall have to go," I said, glancing at my watch. "I promised our managing editor that I would cover the funeral for him this afternoon. It's almost two now."

"That's all right," replied Anderson. "I think there will be nothing more now until after the service. Then I am going to interview Paige again and, in all likelihood, Robert Cleveland and Mrs. Phelps. I guess you want to be on hand for both of those, don't you?"

"You bet!" I answered. "Only death itself could keep me away!"

We buried Sonia Paige that afternoon amid gales of wind and clouds of rain. And a crowd of weeping and sorrowful friends, amid a mob of curious and morbid spectators, their desire for a thrill undaunted by the rain, we laid to rest in the earth forever from human sight all that remained of the lovely and beautiful girl who had brought nothing but happiness and joy into the lives of those whom she had touched.

Randolph Paige was there, his handsome young face stern with pain. He was haggard with grief and all signs of youth and disposition had been wiped away in just those few days of shame and anxiety. He seemed oblivious of the two stalwart men who stood at a respectful distance but whose eyes never left him for a single moment.

Robert Cleveland was there, too. His face set into lines of graven immobility. And from him I turned to watch Mrs. Phelps who sobbed audibly and helplessly throughout the entire service.

Had it been the hand of any one of these three—one a husband, the other two friends—who had gazed Sonia Paige's insensibility and strangled her to death? Had Paige, infuriated by his failure on the stock market, given way to a burst of drunken insanity and accomplished that which, at this moment, he would gladly give his own life to undo?

Or had Robert Cleveland, one of the leaders of the Bar, made a lifetime of rich and esteemed service to act with the same primal fury that cast the brand of murderer upon the brow of Cain?

I watched these two men curiously as they saw the casket lowered into the grave. I saw Paige wince as the minister dropped the dirt and ashes upon the coffin and murmured the conventional words of the service. The clouds striking the lid might have been so many blows upon his very soul.

But if either of these two were guilty, they were consummate actors. I saw shame and grief and regret—but guilty knowledge—no, of that I saw nothing.

(To Be Continued)

## Uncle Wiggily's Big Jump

By HOWARD E. GARIS

"What was that you said about a honey tree?" asked Uncle Wiggily.

"I said why don't you look for one instead of hunting for maple sugar you can't find," answered a little animal, not quite as large as Johnnie Bushytail, the squirrel boy.

"Well, where could I find a honey tree?" asked the rabbit gentleman, taking a second look at the little creature. Then he saw it was a chipmunk, or, as they are sometimes called, ground squirrel. The chipmunk, who was a little boy animal, wore a beautifully striped fur coat.

"I know where there's a honey tree," said Chippy, which was the chipmunk's name. "It isn't far from here."

"And can I go there and pick off gobs of honey to take home to eat on Nurse Jane's pancakes?" asked Uncle Wiggily.

"Ho! Ho! Ho!" laughed Chippy. "You are teasing me. You know honey doesn't grow on a tree any more than maple sugar grows on a tree. But you can get maple sap from which to make maple syrup, out of a tree."

"Oh, yes," agreed Uncle Wiggily. "I can do that a little later in the spring when the sap starts to run."

"Yes," said Chippy, "but if maple sap comes out of a tree why can't a tree be a honey tree? I can mean be picked off like apples or nuts. Why not?"

"Why not, indeed," said Uncle Wiggily. "I've heard of honey inside a tree."

"I did," answered the chipmunk, looking to see if any snow had blown on his striped coat.

"Where?" asked Uncle Wiggily.

"Right here in these woods," chirped Chippy. "You know," he went on in a whisper, "in the summer the bees make honey out of flowers. They store the sweet flower juice, which is honey, away in hollow trees so they can eat it in the winter."

"Oh, yes," said Uncle Wiggily. "I know that."

"Well, I saw some bees flying around the hollow tree yesterday. They were out to see how soon the spring flowers would blossom so they could make some new honey. I'm sure they would be glad to have you take some of their last year's sweet stuff."

"Good!" cried the rabbit gentleman. "Show me where the honey tree is and I'll get some honey."

"Follow me," chirped Chippy. "This way!" Off he scampered through the woods, his striped coat looking like a brown flag. The rabbit gentleman followed and soon Chippy stopped in front of a tall tree with an old honeysuckle vine dangling from the branches.

"This is the honey tree," said the chipmunk.

"It looks just like any other kind of a tree that has lost all its leaves in winter," said Uncle Wiggily.

"On, but it is much different," chirped Chippy. "It is a hollow tree and inside it is filled with honey. I'll climb up first and ask the bees if you may take some of their honey. If they say yes, and I am sure they will, you may climb up."

"I'm not very good at climbing trees," said the rabbit gentleman.

"Oh, but it will be easy to climb this tree," said the chipmunk. "The honeysuckle vine will be as good as a ladder. You can do it."

Chippy climbed the tree, looked down inside the hollow part and saw much honey. He saw a few bees and they said Uncle Wiggily could have some of their sweet stuff for his pancakes.

"It's all right, come on up, Uncle Wiggily," called Chippy. By clinging to the dried honeysuckle vine, Uncle Wiggily climbed up the honey tree. He had with him a pail made from the bark of the birch tree, the same sort of bark from which the Indians used to make their canoes. The rabbit gentleman filled his pail with honey, thanking the bees for giving him and then, all of a sudden, Mr. Longears gave a shout and quickly made a big jump from the top of the tree down to the ground, taking the honey with him.

"Oh, my goodness! why did you make such a big jump?" asked Chippy.

The rabbit gentleman will tell the chipmunk why and also tell you in the next story which will be about Uncle Wiggily's jolly breakfast.

And I really think someone should stop the can opener from hiding in the milk bottle when the baked beans want to get out and play with the mustard pot.



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**VICTORIA-VANCOUVER**  
Princess Charlotte leaves Victoria for Vancouver daily at 5:15 a.m.; arrives Vancouver 7 p.m.  
Princess Alice leaves Vancouver daily at 10:30 a.m.; arrives Victoria 3:30 p.m.  
Princess Elizabeth or Princess Joan leaves Victoria daily at midnight; arrives Vancouver 7 a.m.  
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**VICTORIA-SEATTLE**  
Tropic leaves Seattle daily at midnight; arrives Victoria 8:30 a.m.  
Tropic leaves Victoria daily at 9 a.m.; arrives Seattle 4 p.m.  
Princess Charlotte leaves Seattle daily at 9 a.m.; arrives Victoria 1:30 p.m.  
Princess Alice leaves Victoria 3:30 p.m.; arrives Seattle daily at 4:30 p.m.; arrives Seattle 8:30 p.m.

**VICTORIA-FORT ANGELES**  
Tropic leaves Victoria daily at 8:30 a.m.; arrives Fort Angeles 11:45 p.m.

**VANCOUVER-NANAIMO**  
Princess Elaine leaves Nanaimo 7 a.m. and 2:15 p.m.; leaves Vancouver 10 a.m. and 5:45 p.m. daily, except Sunday; leaves Vancouver 10 a.m. and 5:45 p.m. and leaves Nanaimo 7 a.m. and 2:15 p.m. Saturday, extra sailing, leaves Nanaimo at 3:15 p.m., arrives Vancouver 11:45 p.m.

**WEST COAST**  
Princess Maudine will leave Victoria 11 p.m. on first, eleventh and twenty-first of each month for Port Alice and Westport.

**NORTHERN BRITISH COLUMBIA**  
St. Princes Rupert sails 8 p.m. Mondays for Powell River, Oceans Falls, Prince Rupert, Stewart and Hazelton.

**SALT SPRING ISLAND**  
Motor Ferry Or Peck leaves Puget Harbor week days, except Wednesday, 8 a.m. and 4 p.m.; leaves Swartz Bay 9:30 a.m. and 5 p.m.

### LOGGING AND WASTE

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thoratively upon the subject of "inefficient management," otherwise his opinion is of no value—simply a gesture. One of the principal causes of the present strike of loggers is attributable, in my opinion, to the practice of the press in unduly boosting (?) the lumber trade by publishing glorified articles on some "news" items which, in reality mean very little to the industry, but create false impressions in the public mind as to actual conditions, thereby doing harm instead of good. When we read flaring headlines telling of great orders (to be received) for a few million feet and 100 per cent increase in trade (which when translated into feet B.M. do not mean much), workers naturally think business must be booming.

**PSEUDOSUGA.**

### LIFE'S DARKEST MOMENT



THE BOY WHO OWNS ONE SHIRT AND FINDS ON OPENING THE BUNDLE FROM THE LAUNDRY THAT THEY HAVE SENT HIM ONE BELONGING TO A BOY HALF HIS SIZE

### WILL FIGHT FISH TRAPS

### B.C. and Washington Net Fishermen Unite in Fight Against Puget Sound Traps

New Westminster, March 6.—British Columbia gill net fishermen and Washington purse seine operators have united in a fight against the fish-trap operators on Puget Sound. A delegation representing Washington purse seiners, conferred with a committee of the B.C. Fishermen's Protective Association at a meeting here Sunday.

The visiting delegation included Lee Makovich, Gig Harbor; C. H. Green, Seattle, and T. Yagovich, Tacoma.

Mr. Makovich declared that nine fish trap operators last year controlled 63 per cent of all fish trap catches in Puget Sound.

"These net operators took 53 per cent of all spring salmon, 37 per cent of all sockeye, 32 per cent of all cohoes, 25 per cent of all pinkies and 9 per cent of all chinooks," he declared. "Some of these trap sites have been sold for as high as \$100,000."

"If these traps were eliminated," he contended, "the big run of Fraser River sockeye, which is now nearing the marketing point, would be restored. There would be plenty of fish for five times the amount of floating gear as is used on both sides of the international line at present, and employment for thousands of fishermen."

The international salmon treaty was discussed at length. The old treaty, which was not approved by either Washington or Ottawa, was condemned in that it had proven beneficial to trap operators alone.

The new treaty, now being drafted, and which must be approved by both Canadian and United States federal governments, would internationalize the treaty waters. It was said, allowing citizens of either country to fish in the "open waters." Traps would be barred.

### Arrive From South Japan

Passengers aboard the Ss. Dorothy Alexander when she reached Victoria at 8 o'clock yesterday evening from Los Angeles and San Francisco were: A. C. Buchard, Miss Flora Brydon, Ralph Bagley, Wade Cousins, Mr. and Mrs. William Chalk, Miss Regina Erickson, A. E. Elkins, W. G. Gerwin, Ross W. Hocking, Mrs. O. G. Hattie, Mrs. O. Kratzer, Miss Kathleen Hall, J. W. Keyes, Mrs. H. McLeod, Miss Isabel McWhirter, J. Munro, Mrs. Andre Rolleston, C. H. Black, Miss Doreen Swayne, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Sanders, Joseph Sanders Jr., Mrs. F. W. Thomas, Miss Mary Lou Thomas, Thomas Wright and Mrs. A. West.

The Dorothy brought forty-five tons of general cargo for discharge at Victoria. She left for Seattle at midnight. Capt. Fred Landstrom, master of the ship, reported a good voyage from San Francisco.

Only a small list of passengers reached Vancouver yesterday morning from Japan aboard the N.Y.K. motorship Hyu Maru, although the cargo was heavy and included a large parcel of raw silk. Travelers aboard were: Miss Pauline Hood, Mr. and Mrs. George L. Harmon, Samuel L. Grossmith, F. L. Brock and S. T. Thompson. For Vancouver the Hyu had 900 tons of general cargo. She left for Seattle yesterday evening and reached the Puget Sound port this morning.

### DANWOOD PUT INTO DRYDOCK

The annual inspection and overhaul of the Norwegian freighter Danwood reached Esquimaux harbor from China this morning and this afternoon was put into the Dominion Government drydock. Yarrow's Limited will do the work. The ship's tail shaft will be drawn and other work done. The Danwood was built in Norway in 1930 and is registered 6,400 tons, with a length of 398 feet, a beam of sixty feet and a depth of twenty-five feet. Her home port is Oslo.

### OLD WHALER TELLS YARNS

### Capt. Peterson of Seattle Says One Whale Has Been Dodging Him For Two Years

Seattle, March 6.—Captain Fred Peterson knows all the answers about whales—almost except one.

He cannot tell you how or when a whale sleeps. He's been in the whaling business twenty years, but that's one that stumps him.

"I have never seen any of my old friends out late at night so they must cat-nap under water," said Captain Peterson to-day while he was slapping a coat of paint on one of the seven steel "killer ships" of the American-Pacific Whaling Company.

"I have a hunch they doze just under the surface and stick their huge snouts out and tank up when necessary."

Captain Peterson has been in the business so long he knows a lot of whales by their first names. His favorite is "Charlie," a big rounder up off Kodiak Island in the North Pacific. "Charlie" has given him the run-around for two decades.

"Charlie is a smart boy and I have a lot of respect for him," said the old captain with a twinkle in his eye. "I don't know if I would have the heart to shoot a harpoon into him now, even if I got the chance."

### JEFFERSON DUE LATE TO-NIGHT

### President Liner Coming in With Good Cargo; Ms. Damsterdyk Due Thursday

Delayed by stormy weather on the Pacific it will be midnight before the American Mail liner President Jefferson reaches the William Head quarantine station, from ports in the Philippine Islands, China and Japan. Capt. Alvino O. Lusie, master of the ship, this morning advised the local office. The ship was originally scheduled to arrive here this morning.

The President Jefferson is bringing several passengers for Victoria, as well as Canadian mails and 400 tons of general cargo, including some raw silk from Japan. She will be here about four hours before proceeding to Seattle.

A. P. Moffatt, local agent for the Holland-America Line, was advised this morning that the motorship Damsterdyk sailed from San Francisco yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock, direct for Victoria, inbound from Rotterdam and London, via the Panama Canal. The ship will reach Esquimaux Point first thing Thursday morning.

For Victoria the Damsterdyk has 300 tons of general cargo and will load with frozen fish and locally produced loganberries for the return voyage to Europe. Capt. A. Philippo is the master. Several passengers are aboard.

As a Lenten feature, Rev. Dr. Clem Davies will deliver his illustrated lecture on Wednesday evening at the City Temple on the "Passion Play of Oberammergau." The lecture will be illustrated with 160 original pictures. It was in the little Bavarian village in 1930 when Dr. Davies, with a party of Victoria residents, witnessed the great drama. The lecture will begin at 8 o'clock.

### Tax Strike Threat Answered By Peden

"What is this tax strike? It appears to be something which would only make matters worse. The City Council would welcome suggestions of means of doing its work," Alderman Alexander Peden stated when the council heard a letter from the Victoria Ratepayers' Association threatening a tax strike if the mill rate were raised.

Such a communication was without much consideration, he declared, stating that the aldermen had the interests of the ratepayers of Victoria at heart as well as any other body. The council wanted valuable criticism, not suggestions which were of no use, he said.

The communication was received and filed.

### TIMBER DEAL IS BROUGHT TO END

With the passage of a motion releasing equipment of the Fairreise-Celtic railway company, which had been held as chattel, the payment of \$7,500, the City Council yesterday evening terminated agreements with that company for certain timber limits formerly held by the city.

The matter has been hanging fire for months. Yesterday evening's action brought it to a close.

### ADVANCE TAX PENALTY MOVE

Penalties for non-payment of taxes will be enforced a month earlier by the city of Victoria this year than last. According to a motion passed by the City Council at its meeting yesterday evening.

The council endorsed a resolution making a 1 per cent charge on taxes not paid by October 2, and an annual 1 per cent charges on November 2 and November 16. On December 2 the charge will be raised 5 per cent. In 1933 the 5 per cent levy was not made until the end of the year.

### MONTREAL HAS WATER LOSSES

Montreal, March 6.—Damage estimated at about \$100,000 was caused in a busy section of downtown Montreal yesterday when a large water main burst and poured water into basements of business houses for two hours before it was stopped. No one was injured.

### FOURTH OFFICER



Dorothy Alexander, fourth officer of the Ss. Concordia.

Dorothy Alexander, proceeded to Seattle, from California ports, at midnight.

Danwood, at Esquimaux drydock. Princess Maudine, off Zebalco, southbound to Victoria, 8 a.m. Everleigh, leaving Ogdan Point, for Port Alberni, 6:30 p.m.

President Jefferson, due William Head, bound Victoria, from Orient ports, at midnight.

Damsterdyk, due Victoria, from Rotterdam and London, Thursday morning.

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### Spoken By Wireless

March 6, 8 p.m.—Shipments: KINGSLY, bound Victoria, 110 miles from Victoria; HIKAWA MARU, Vancouver to Yokohama, 2,500 miles from Vancouver; EMPRESS OF ASIA, Yokohama to Victoria, 2,385 miles from Victoria.

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March 6, 12 noon.—Weather: Esquimaux—Cloudy; west light; 30.0; 46; sea, heavy swell; light, 30.0; 46; sea, moderate swell; moderate; 30.2; 52; sea, heavy swell.

Point Grey—Part cloudy; calm; 30.0; 46; sea, smooth; light, 30.0; 46; sea, moderate swell; moderate; 30.2; 52; sea, heavy swell.

Time of sunrise and sunset (Pacific Standard Time) at Victoria, B.C., for the month of March, 1934.

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31	6:16	6:31

The Meteorological Observatory, Dominion House, Victoria, B.C.

### The Weather

Daily Bulletin Published by the Victoria Meteorological Department

Victoria, 5 a.m. March 6.—The barometer is low on this coast and heavy rain has fallen southward to Gravelly Bay in falling from Kamloops to south of Esquimaux. The rain was reported in Saskatchewan and Manitoba.

Victoria—Barometer, 29.95; temperature, maximum yesterday 46, minimum 35; wind, 4 miles E. rain, 1.00; fair.

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Port Alberni—Barometer, 29.98; temperature, maximum yesterday 46, minimum 35; wind, 4 miles E. rain, 1.00; fair.

Seattle—Temperature, maximum yesterday 46, minimum 35; wind, 24 miles S.W.; rain, 1.00; cloudy.

Portland, Ore.—Temperature, maximum yesterday 46, minimum 35; wind, 10 miles S.W.; rain, 1.00; cloudy.

San Francisco—Barometer, 30.12; temperature, maximum yesterday 54, minimum 34; wind, 4 miles E.E. clear.

Temperature

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